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VERY LATEST NEWS

STUDENT ON BIG WARSHIP AT THE FLEET PRACTICE

"The Delaware is due in port to-night. She has been engaged in target practice with the Atlantic fleet."

BIG FIRE DESTROYS FERNCROFT

Warning given by "Pet," a Boston terrier, enabled Harry K. Mansfield and nine men and women attaches of Ferncroft Inn of Danvers to escape just in time from fire which destroyed the big rambling hostelry early to-day at a loss of $50,000.

This is the second time that fire has swept the famous old structure, famous as an eating place and patronized especially by automobile parties. Three years ago it was burned out. It was rebuilt and refurnished at a great cost. To-day it was burned to the ground.

In the inn when the fire started were Mr. Mansfield, four girl waiters, two kitchen girls, the bartender, chef and assistant chef, as well as "Pet," Mr. Mansfield's terrier.

The first known of the fire was when Mr. Mansfield was awakened by "Pet" rushing at his bedclothes. The dog growled and whined at the same time. The noise also the chill air striking him when the bedclothes were pulled off, awakened Mr. Mansfield. He smelled smoke. He started to go out into the corridor, but was driven back.

He climbed, in his pajamas, through his second-floor window to an outside stairway which runs from the ground to the roof. Going to the ground the proprietor hurried to the front door and banged on it till he roused one of the attaches of the inn. Then the others were awakened.

Clad in the first clothing they could pick up, all were driven by smoke and fast-traveling flames into the freezing air.

Fire Apparatus Useless.

They tried to save some of the most costly furnishings of the inn, but were unable, so rapidly did the fire sweep through the structure. A call was sent to the Danvers Fire Department. This responded with apparatus which made the two and one-half mile run in good time. But the advance of the flames, combined with lack of water, made the apparatus ineffectual.

The fire started shortly after 3 o'clock and for more than three hours and a half the flames swept through the two-story wooden structure. Owing to the lack of water the firemen were powerless to stem the rush of fire until the famous eating resort had been levelled. Aid was summoned from Danvers and other towns, but all efforts to save the building were futile.

The single water pipe was not sufficient to supply more than two hose lines and the firemen could do but little except watch the building burn. The barn in the rear of the inn was saved, however, as the wind blowing in the opposite direction greatly assisted the firemen.

The original inn, built as a colonial mansion, was more than a hundred years old. About eight years ago it was converted into an automobile resort, and since that time many wings have been added. About three years ago it was partially destroyed by fire and later rebuilt on the plans of the original building.

Filled With Antiques.

The inn was owned by Harry K. Mansfield, and was filled from basement to roof with all sorts of antiques. The entire stock of a Salem dealer in antiques was bought by Mr. Mansfield about two years ago and distributed throughout the inn. Several valuable paintings adorned the walls and the building had many open fireplaces and curable staircases.

The fame of the Ferncroft cuisine spread far and wide, and for years the inn has been a favorite stopping place for automobile parties. It was only a few days ago that the town of Middleton went license during the last two years. The inn holds the only license in the town.

100 GIRLS RESCUED AT FACTORY FIRE

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 17.—Fire broke out at 9:30 this morning in the ...mpire Skirt Company plant, a three-story building in the heart of the wholesale district on West Mitchell street, near the terminal station. The flames rapidly spread, causing a heavy loss. Thrilling rescues of a hundred girls working on the top floor were made. Some were overcome by smoke. At 9 o'clock two girls had been taken to the Grady Hospital, overcome by smoke, and several were yet unaccounted for.

Fire was under control at 10 o'clock, and all the girls had been accounted for. The loss is $75,000.

SURE CURE FREE. A hearty laugh is the best medicine, and you get it with T. E. Powers' unapproachably funny pictures in the Sunday AMERICAN.

SHOT AT FRENCH PREMIER

PARIS, Jan. 17.—An attempt was made to assassinate Premier Briand in the Chamber of Deputies this afternoon. Two shots were fired at him, but both missed. One struck M. Mirman, director of public relief, in the leg.

The chamber was thrown into a state of great confusion, but Premier Briand remained cool and assisted the authorities.

This is the second attempt made to assassinate the Premier in two months, although he has scorned the proposal of his friends to have gendarmes accompany him in public. On November 20, during the ceremonies in Tuileries Gardens in connection with the dedication of the Jules Ferry statue, M. Lecour, a royalist, attacked the Premier, striking him repeatedly with his cane. Lecour was sentenced to three years' imprisonment subsequently.

Assassin Captured.

Earlier last year a laborer was arrested while trying to force his way into M. Briand's apartments at St. Etienne. He was arrested and a brace of revolvers were found upon his person. He was subjected to mental unsound upon examination.

To-day's attempt a assassination was made by an ex-law court clerk named Gi...ssime. Le fired from the public gallery of the chamber, and both shots narrowly missed the Premier.

Etienne Gissime could fire a third shot before spectators pounced upon him and arrested the weapon from his hands. Guards stationed about the chamber took possession of the prisoner and led him into custody. In the tumult which ensued over the scene deputies jumped upon their desks, the Premier dramatically waved his hand, shouting that he was unhurt.

Had a Grievance.

The wounded man was hastily removed to a hospital, while a search was made for Gissime. It was reported at the time of his arrest that he was an Anarchist.

The prisoner quickly refused to talk at first, although it was learned that he had a grievance against the Premier because he thought M. Briand was responsible for his losing his position.

GIRL IN PROVIDENCE ICE IS IDENTIFIED

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 17.—The body of the girl found in the ice in Leonard's Pond several days ago was today identified as that of Miss Annie Kelley, domestic, twenty-three years old, who had been in this country about two years. The identification was made by a brother of the girl, Charles Kelley. He said that he knew of no reason why the girl should have drowned herself as she is supposed to have done. The body was found by two boys who were skating on the pond several days ago. The body had been in the water several weeks. The girl had put several prayer books, a rosary and some religious pictures in her clothing before she was drowned.

TUTTLE STEADILY GROWING BETTER

Lucius Tuttle, former president of the Boston & Maine, whose left leg was amputated last Thursday at the Eliot Hospital, was reported to-day by the best night that he has spent since the operation. He is rapidly recovering and is cheered and kept in good spirits by daily visits from his family. He has not received flowers yet, but his daughters spend all the time possible chatting with him. His condition to-day is the most encouraging since Thursday. As he will remain at the hospital until he is thoroughly rested, no plans have been made for his removal to his home.

STRIKERS FREED ON ASSAULT CHARGE

Abraham Landdell, Joseph Selman, and Jacob Dettelsman, members of the striking Shoe Cutters' Protective Union, charged with an assault upon a non-union man when picketing at the Pearl-street shop of the Manufacturing Company, were found guilty by Judge Sullivan in the Municipal Court.

REV. DR. McCARTHY HOVERS NEAR DEATH

The condition of the Rev. Dr. Francis P. McCarthy, pastor of the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer of East Boston, is very critical.

He was stricken a fortnight ago, and at first his recovery was expected, but a relapse set in several days ago and since he has sunk rapidly and is unconscious.

A Want Advt. is often the road to fortune.

DESPERATE FIGHT TO SAVE LODGE

Beacon Hill to-day seethed and rocked with rumors of bribery and coercion on the part of the Lodge managers, who were dragooning members to vote for Lodge.

It became known that pressure was being brought to bear on Senator Martin Curley of Ward 21 to secure his vote for Lodge. The bait offered Curley was a renomination without opposition.

The bait came from Harry Nawn and Fred Emery. The latter is a member of the Executive Committee, and a next door neighbor of Curley in Ward 21. Harry Nawn is a Democrat and a contractor. He generally secures the work where the Kidder-Peabody party are interested. The Kidder-Peabody interests were the beneficiaries under the sale of the three coffers to the navy that Senator Lodge put through. Nawn was said, to be influenced by them to work upon Curley Emery was assisting him.

The name of Representative Bellamy of Taunton was heard in the gossip many times to-day.

Solo, one man:

"Bellamy made the issue for the nomination and election that he was opposed to Lodge. Then he acted the members of the Democratic City Committee to give him the Democratic nomination, and he gave ex-Mayor John Ahearn assurance that he was against Lodge.

"In consequence of that assurance he was given the Democratic nomination, and now he is the only one in the State opposed. After he secured both nominations there was some talk that he was changing in favor of Lodge. The Democratic City Committee, therefore, appointed a subcommittee one of whom was Mat A. Higgins, secretary of the committee, a Mr. Burt and a Mr Field.

Denied by Bellamy.

"The committee waited upon Mr. Bellamy and asked him in regard to the rumor that he was going to vote for Lodge. Bellamy denied the rumor and stated that if Thayer or Valley, and mentioned another man whose name I cannot remember, were candidates that he would vote for them or for any man of their type. The Democrats on the strength of that statement by Bellamy did not nominate an independent Democratic candidate.

"After Bellamy's election he stated that he was going to vote for Guild, and notwithstanding that he had stated afterward through the press that Guild was not a candidate and was in favor of Lodge and would come out in favor of Lodge he still kept saying he was going to vote for Guild.

"Yesterday at the Republican caucus Bellamy stated that he had not yet made up his mind to vote for Lodge the day before, because he had received a letter from Guild urging him to vote for Lodge."

Inquiry Is Urged.

Suggestions of a legislative inquiry into the statements of Representative John C. Sanborn, a Lawrence Democrat, that he had been approached by a Republican who told of a visitor to Lawrence hunting with gold for votes for Lodge, were also heard on Beacon Hill to-day.

The Sanborn story recalls the statements of Representative Simon Swig of Taunton in 1906 that a "tall, dark stranger" was at the State House with money against the anti-bucket shop bill. The Swig story resulted in an inquiry by the Committee on Rules. The result was the expulsion of Representative Grahm of Boston.

Representative Sanborn persistently refused to-day to give the name of his caller.

"He is a friend of mine," Representative Sanborn said, a Republican politician of some standing in Lawrence, and he occupies a good position with one of the textile mills. It would not be fair to give the name to the newspapers. I shall not do so. I do not believe he was serious. I think he dropped around to acquaint me with rumors which were rife in Lawrence to the effect that somebody was in town hunting up votes for Lodge."

"There Was Money in It."

Representative Sanborn is an attorney, forty-two years old. He is a graduate of Dartmouth and of Boston University Law School. In Lawrence he is spoken of as a young man of the highest integrity, who, although always a Democrat, had never aspired to public office until he was elected to this year's Legislature.

Sanborn is associated in the practice of law with D. F. Mahoney. Mr. Mahoney sat in the next room. Sanborn says, while Sanborn listened to the Republican who told him that a man was in Lawrence looking for votes for Lodge.

"The Republican supported me in my campaign," Representative Sanborn said to-day. "He also visited my office before. I do not recall the exact words of his statement. The substance of it was that such a person was in town and that there was money in it.

Would Not Aid Lodge.

"I do not understand that my visitor was acting as intermediary or that he had brought me anything more serious than rumor. It was and is well known in Lawrence that I am anti-Lodge. I would not vote for Mr. Lodge for dog rover. At the same time I have endeavored to avoid publicity concerning this incident, because it seems to me unfair to spring a local story on the eve of the first ballot for United States Senator."

"Why not tell the name of the Republican who called on you?"

"That wouldn't be fair."

"Why wouldn't it?"

"Well, he is a friend of mine who had supported me in my campaign. Besides, as I say, it may have been merely idle rumor so far as he was concerned."

"Well, why not let him say so? Why not let the man himself say that it was idle rumor?"

"I cannot do it," replied Mr. Sanborn. "He came to me in confidence."

LEGISLATURE VOTES ON U. S. SENATORSHIP

The members of the Legislature of Massachusetts voted this afternoon on the final ballots for the Senate of the United States—Senator Henry Cabot Lodge and Norman H. Whipple.

Mr. Lodge was the caucus candidate of the Republican. But he had a stubborn, determined opposition. Mr. Whipple was the choice of all the Democrats.

Interest centered in the fight made by Lodge. He has been in the Senate eighteen years. He is a brilliant man. He is backed by the most powerful interests of the country—if you are to eliminate the people.

A Country-Wide Issue.

Not only were the eyes of the people of the State focussed on the result of to-day's vote, but the eyes of the whole country.

Lodge is one of the individual standpatters.

Congressman Butler Ames, himself a candidate for the Senate and who has sworn that he will defeat Lodge, said before the two bodies of the Legislature convened:

"I shall never withdraw as a candidate in this contest until Lodge is defeated. I shall remain until the finish—that will be the finish of Lodge."

A caucus estimate made this afternoon in the light of yesterday's developments as the Republican caucus, give Lodge this strength:

In the Senate—21 votes.
In the House—114 votes.
Necessary to elect him—7 votes in House.

Can Hardly Win To-day.

These figures show that Lodge is defeated, so far as the vote to-day is concerned. But to-morrow, and thereafter day by day, the two bodies of the Legislature vote in joint ballot, and on any day that Lodge secures 141 votes of the 280 in both chambers, he is elected.

According to the figures just quoted, Lodge has in the Senate twenty votes and in the House 114, making 136. Thus he is defeated on joint ballot, and there is a deadlock on the senatorial question unless he gets three more votes.

Lodge's friends declared today that he would get the votes and that he would be elected tomorrow.

Congressman Butler Ames and other anti-Lodge men asserted that there would be an interminable deadlock and that the joint ballot would be kept up in their trenches as long as Lodge is in Washington.

Sherman L. Whipple, the Boston lawyer, is the Democratic candidate against Lodge. Mr. Whipple starts in with the fourteen

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Thousands Delayed.

All traffic in the tunnel was blocked as a result of the accident for an hour and a half. When word of the fatality was received at the Boston end of the line, the outward-bound cars were switched around to the North Ferry, but the inward-bound cars kept coming into the tunnel, until there was a long line of them stalled. Finally word was sent to the East Boston end of the lines, and the cars were diverted to the North Ferry. Thousands of East Boston and Chelsea people on their way to this city were delayed for anywhere from fifteen minutes to an hour.

The body lay beside the tracks for half an hour after being taken from under the car. It was then taken to the North Grove street morgue by Thomas J. Lane, an East Boston undertaker, by order of Medical Examiner Magrath.

REFUSED SOMERVILLE VAUDEVILLE LICENSE

Mayor Charles A. Burns of Somerville to-day refused to grant any of the several petitions for licenses to operate vaudeville and music picture shows in the old West Somerville Congregational Church on Day street. A similar petition was turned down by Mayor Burns a year ago. Such licenses come under the jurisdiction of the Mayor's office. When the congregation moved out the property was sold to theatrical interests and a year ago a license was issued out as a theatre. Residents of the locality objected. Homes has the Congregational North Cambridge and Somerville are after the building for church purposes.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS HOLD INSTALLATION

Marathon Lodge, Knights of Pythias, held a public installation in Castle Hall, Dorchester, last night. D. G. C. Charles O. Cook of Arlington, and suite, and Frank Hungerford, grand master-at-arms, installed these officers: C. C., William J. Thomas; V. C., William C. Johnson; P. L., Frank Perkins; M. W., Albert P. Thurber; K. R. S., William J. Jameson; M. F., William E. Rich; M. E., Thomas Fallon; M. A., Irwin Sharp; I. G., George H. Davis; O. G., Albert L. Jacques.

KILLED IN EAST BOSTON TUNNEL

Bernard Grennan, sixty years old, living at No. 31 Roxbury street, Roxbury, a guard who had been in the employ of the Boston Elevated for twenty-five years, was instantly killed in the East Boston tunnel early to-day and traffic was tied up for an hour and a half while his body was being taken from beneath the car which killed him.

Grennan was struck by an inward bound Chelsea car, near the East Boston end of the tunnel. The car was in charge of Jesse A. Harlow of No. 249 Lexington street, East Boston, a motorman who had been in the employ of the road for two months.

Motorman Arrested.

Immediately after the accident Harlow was arrested and charged with manslaughter. He was arraigned before Judge Dimock, pleaded not guilty and was held in $5,000 for a further hearing Friday. Bail was not given at once, but officials of the road started out to get it. Harlow told the police that he did not see Grennan until his car was upon him, then, he said, he reversed the power and applied the brakes.

About 9:30 o'clock Grennan was sent to the Maverick square station for a supply of oil.

He had almost reached the curve, about 200 feet from the Maverick square entrance, when he stepped on outward-bound car behind him. To avoid it he stepped over on to the inward-bound tracks. As he did so he looked behind him at the approaching car and failed to notice a car of the Chelsea Central avenue line, inbound, bearing down on him.

The car which was in charge of Conductor McMillian and Motorman Harlow, struck Grennan with such force that his body was wedged under the rear trucks. A wrecking crew was sent for but their efforts to raise the car and free the body were unavailing until a jack arrived. Then the body was taken from under the car and placed on one side of the tracks. Although the medical examiner had not arrived.

BURKE NOT SURE ON LODGE VOTE

Not every Democrat in the Legislature feels bound by the Faneuil Hall pattern to "vote against the election of Senator Lodge."

The police of his party does not bind Representative William R. Burke of Milford. According to Mr. Burke, he never touched him.

Stories about the standing of Representative Burke on the senatorship question have been in the air for two days. He was hunted up to-day by the AMERICAN.

"I don't know which of them I shall vote for," said Burke.

"Which of who?"

"Whipple or Lodge."

Not Bound by Caucus.

"Under"

"Yes, Lodge! Way not? I don't have to listen to Boston. All I've got to do is see to it that my course satisfies the boys back home. That's all. It hasn't Faneuil Hall with me, or any other convention.

"Now, then, how are they in Milford? That's my problem. I find no more as I can make out, that sentiment is divided. That's the fix I'm in. I don't know to-day whether to vote for Whipple or Lodge."

"But yesterday you went into a Democratic caucus which nominated Mr. Whipple for United States Senator. The nomination was made unanimous. Didn't that bind you?"

"Bind nothing! The Democrats want to elect Lodge. Aren't you wise to that?"

"Why did they nominate Whipple, then?"

Is Not Decided.

"Is Lodge could be elected!" answered Mr. Burke. "It's as plain as can be. The ought'n't to have made any nomination then the Democrats would have been free to support any good Republican. In the way Lodge would have been done for."

It was declarely suggested to Mr. Burke that the Democrats of his district ought not look upon State conventions and State House caucuses as Mr. Burke appears to look at them; that the folks back home might ultimately get mad, that he might be retired from public life."

"Public life!" said Representative William R. Burke of Milford, "don't make me laugh! This is my third year in the Legislature and believe me I'm not the 15-foot. Take it from me I have not decided whom I shall vote for. Haven't made up my mind. They got to show me."

JOHNSON ELECTED SENATOR IN MAINE

AUGUSTA, Me., Jan. 17.—The election by the Maine Legislature to-day of a United States Senator for a full term, to succeed Eugene Hale, whose term expires next March, was hardly more than a formality, as the Democrats have an unquestioned majority in both branches and there was no opposition in the ranks of that party on the three caucus nominees, Obadiah F. Johnson of Waterville, The Republican men were cast a complimentary vote for ex-Judge Frederick A. Powers of Houlton, brother of the late Congressman Charles Powers. This is a reversal of the situation that has existed for 40 odd years, the last Democratic Senator from Maine being the late James W. Bradbury of this city, who was elected in 1848.

NO MORE LIQUORS IN CLUBS OF LYNN

No more beer or liquor is to be served in the social clubs of Lynn, under an edict issued to-day by Mayor Connery. The Mayor instructed the police to enforce the ordinance as applied to the clubs. He says he has been informed on good authority that not only are intoxicants served to members of some of these clubs, but that in some cases it is very easy for non-members to obtain them.

EPIDEMIC CLOSES SCHOOLS.

RANDOLPH, Jan. 17.—Every school in the town was ordered closed to-day by the local Board of Health following an epidemic of scarlet fever. There are five hundred pupils in the schools.

SHERIFF SHOT IN RUM RAID

PORTLAND, Jan. 17.—John Parri, a young man of about twenty-five, was shot and killed and Deputy Sheriff John Ballou of Bath was dangerously wounded, in a pistol duel between the two men to-day at Topsham, a town about thirty miles from here.

The fight took place in a raid on a gang of workmen building a mill at Topsham. The raiders had warrants to search for liquor. Behind the rabbit was the Rev. H. N. Pringle, a reformer of Waterville.

An arrest was made yesterday, but the gang took the prisoner away from the officers. Ballou and Deputy Sheriff I. H. Purrington returned to-day, determined to make an arrest.

They took into custody Cesare Mariantetti, the steward of the place. The gang again took the prisoner away from the officers.

Ballou tackled the gang alone. Parri met him with a gun in hand and the two men blazed away at each other. Ballou fell with a bullet wound in his face. Parri fell shot through the body. Parri died in a short time. Ballou was taken to the Bath Hospital.

SALARIES CUT $5; FRUITER'S CREW OUT

Because their monthly pay was cut from $40 to $35, the firemen and oilers on the United Fruit Company steamship Esparta went on strike to-day. The Esparta, which is tied up at Long Wharf, arrived here Sunday, and is due to leave here for Port Limon in Central America, to-morrow morning.

DEADLOCK FOR N. Y. SENATOR

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 17.—The first ballot for United States Senator to-day showed that the State Legislature was deadlocked on the question of choosing a successor to Chauncey M. Depew. In the Assembly the ballot resulted as follows:

William F. Sheehan, 66; Edward M. Shepard, 12; Alton B. Parker, 6; D. Cady Herrick, 1; Morgan G. Littleton, 1; James W. Gerard, 1. Speaker Frisch declared it no election.

The vote in the Senate was: Sheehan, 25; Depew, 20; Shepard, 2; Littleton, 1; Herrick, 1; Gerard, 1. The solid Republican strength was cast for Depew in both houses.

$462,000 BEQUESTS ALLOWED BY COURT

The will of Mrs. Sarah H. Swan of Cambridge, who died last October, in which bequests amounting to $462,000 are made, was allowed to-day by Judge Mellen in the East Cambridge Probate Court. Olivia Swan Williams of Cambridge was appointed executrix, filing a bond of $40,000. Of the estate, $440,000 is in real estate and the rest in personal property. Some of the bequests are: $1,000 to the Y. M. C. U. of Boston; $1,000 to the Kindergarten for the Blind, Boston; $500 to each of the following: Cambridge Home for Aged People, Avon Home in Cambridge, Cambridge Relief Union, Ladies' Aid Association of the Cambridge Hospital.

KNOX OUT OF SENATE RACE

HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 17.—Secretary of State Knox to-day notified his friends that he would not be a candidate for the United States senatorship. This insured the re-election of George T. Oliver.

DEADLOCK IN LODGE FIGHT

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Democratic votes in the Senate and at least 108 of the 112 Democratic votes in the House. He has not a majority of the votes in either chamber to-day, so cannot be elected.

It has always been declared that should Lodge not be elected on the first ballot, meaning the joint ballot to-morrow, he will be defeated.

Lodge Glum at News.

Many Republicans will desert him after the first ballot. They hold the action of the party caucus which binds them to vote for Lodge, does not hold them after the first ballot.

The Lodge men know they are beaten. Senator Lodge himself, in Washington yesterday, received the news of the caucus in glum silence. So did Senator Crane. Both expected a far better showing, and not even the assurance from the new Lodge manager, Congressman Augustus P. Gardner, Lodge's son-in-law, that some of the absentees would be on hand to vote for him to-day reassured the senior Senator.

The only hope of the Lodge managers now is the prospect of Democratic defections coming or being brought into their camp. Congressman Gardner has been busy on this line since he took charge of the campaign, dispatching the Lodge lieutenants who are charged with having bungled the situation.

QUINCY CENTRAL LABOR UNION SCORES LODGE

The Quincy Central Labor Union calls on all union men who are members of the Legislature to vote against Senator Lodge for re-election. The call is issued in the form of the following resolution made public to-day:

"Whereas, the Legislature of this State which convenes at the State House in Boston on the first Wednesday of January, 1911, will, as is provided by the Revised Statutes of this Commonwealth, elect a United States Senator to represent the people of this Commonwealth in Congress for six years;

"Resolved, by the Central Labor Union of Quincy and vicinity, that we request and urge upon all union men who are members of the Legislature to oppose the election of Henry Cabot Lodge. His defeat will remove from the Senate one of the champions of supporters of the vested interests and privileged classes in Congress. One who has at all times in the senate opposed any reforms or progress which the common people of this State have been interested in.

"That we urge the two members elected from Quincy and its Senator from the First Norfolk District to support and vote for any candidate except Mr. Lodge, and if they vote for him they will prove by this action that they are not the friends of the wage workers which they professed to be prior to their election as members of the Legislature."

This is in line with the action of the Central Labor Unions of Hyde Park and New Bedford. The New Bedford members of the Legislature, three representatives and one senator, are members of th Cntral Labor Union of that city.

Doctor's Best Formula

Breaks Severest Cold in a Day and Cures Any Curable Cough.

This has been published here for several Winters and has proven the quickest and most reliable formula obtainable for coughs and colds. Get two ounces of Glycerine and half an ounce of Concentrated Pine compound. Then get half a pint of good whiskey and put the other two ingredients into it. Shake it well and take one to two teaspoonfuls after each meal and at bed time. Smaller doses to children according to age. Be sure to get only the genuine (Globe) Concentrated Pine. Each half ounce bottle comes in a sealed hi-screw-top case. Any druggist has it on hand or will quickly get it from his wholesale house. Any one can mix it. Don't experiment with preparations because of cheapness. It don't pay to fool with a bad cold.

A prominent local druggist states that if this mixture were used promptly by every one catching cold there would be few deaths from pneumonia.

BOSTON AMERICAN $35,000 PRIZE COUPON DISTRICT 1 VOTE

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TOWN AND STATE

VALUELESS AFTER JANUARY 31, 1911.

MAINE BANK IS CLOSED BY RUN

Dexter, Me., Jan. 17.—The Dexter Savings Bank here to-day closed its doors, as a result of a run on the bank. The closing was ordered by the State banking commissioner, W. B. Skelton, following a conference between the bank officials and the commissioner. The bank was incorporated in 1867.

It was given out this afternoon that the run on the bank was caused by unfounded rumors regarding the bank's finances. The scare was gradually increasing, and by time night have forced the bank to dispose of its stocks and bonds at a sacrifice. The closing gives the officials a chance to sell on a stronger market.

The total deposits amount to about $30,000, but the officials refuse to say how much of this has been withdrawn. Individual profits amount to $2,000. The bank's aggregate $480,000 at least, and its liabilities amount to $410,000.

The bank will reopen in a few days, it is said. Depositors will lose nothing, is the promise made.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

"DENNY" O'NEIL IS STRONG FOR WHIPPLE

Representative Dennis A. O'Neil of Ward 2, East Boston, was asked to-day as to a report that he was to vote for Lodge. He said: "You can say for Denny O'Neil that I will vote for the Democratic candidate, Sherman L. Whipple. The reason I didn't attend the caucus is because I run a small coal business, and I was kept so busy yesterday on account of the cold weather that I did not get to the State House. I have, however, that I would stand by the action of the Democratic caucus. I shall vote for Sherman L. Whipple."

BERNHARDT CANCELS HARVARD RECEPTION

Owing to the illness of her traveling companion, Marie Sarah Bernhardt was forced to send her regrets to the Harvard Cosmopolitan Club at Harvard. A tea had been planned in her honor, and a number of guests had come from Boston to join with the Harvard students and various members of the faculty and their wives in meeting the great actress.

REPORT DR. HARRIS'S CONDITION CRITICAL

The condition of Dr. Francis A. Harris, for many years medical examiner of Suffolk County, and who was succeeded by Dr. Magrath, is reported to-day as critical. Dr. Harris has been in failing health for several years, and Sunday night suffered a paralytic shock.

TWO ON TRIAL FOR DEATH OF KETCHEL

MARSHFIELD, Mo., Jan. 17.—Walter A. Ripley and Goldie Smith, who are accused of killing Stanley Ketchel, the champion middleweight pugilist, on a ranch near here last Summer, were placed on trial before Circuit Judge Skinner to-day.

Swift & Company's sales of Fresh Beef in Boston for the week ending Saturday, January 14th, averaged 20.09 cents per pound.

BIG $35,000 CONTEST ON

The $35,000 prize contest now running in the AMERICAN, is an "everyman contest."

It is an "everyman contest" because every contestant has an equal chance. Read this last statement over, for it may concern you vitally.

Have you failed to enroll in this contest because you thought that some one with money would beat you out? If that has kept you out forget it and enroll to-day. Listen to what follows and you'll see why.

A man may be poor in money, but all men are rich in friends. The may apply to you. If you have friends, and of course you have you will have a better chance than if you had untold wealth. Money can't win in this contest. Here is the explanation.

Have Friends Get Busy.

You get your friends can get subscriptions for the Sunday AMERICAN. A six months subscription to the Sunday AMERICAN will get for you 900 votes. Remember that. All you need to get is a small cash guarantee from a friend or a few of good faith. You can get subscription from your friends and your friends can get them from their friends. The possibilities of this will appeal to anyone.

Remember this, a six months subscription counts 900, one for a year, 1,800, one for two years, counts 3,500, and one for three years gets you 5,000. The sale of papers in bulk will not be permitted. Anyone, even the poor can get subscriptions. A small guarantee is all that is needed even on the three year subscription.

The guarantee required in each case will apply on the last part of each subscription to that amount in papers. Each person who subscribes will receive and pay for the paper regularly each week until the end of subscription, when the guarantee payment will apply.

Subscriptions will be received only on forms provided for the purpose by the AMERICAN.

Plan Gives Equal Chance.

This plan has been thought out as the result of past experience in voting contests when large buying of votes have been bought from different sources at wholesale rates, and in order to give the poor man the same chance as the one with money to spend, the plan has been evolved.

Read the above carefully. After you have read it ask the next barber and the up all manicurist you see to explain it to you. Get busy—its surely worth it.

In addition to the coupons contained in the daily AMERICAN and the regular coupons in the AMERICAN a credit will be allowed for Sunday subscriptions as follows:

SUBSCRIPTION	GUARANTEE	VOTE
LENGTH OF SUBSCRIPTION	REQUIRED	CREDITED
6 months	$ .25	500
1 year	.50	1,500
2 years	1.00	3,500
3 years	1.00	5,000

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Sunday subscriptions only will be received. The AMERICAN does not require that the full amount of subscription be paid in advance. To make it easy for everybody—the poor man as well as any other—the AMERICAN requires but a small guarantee payment, as an evidence of good faith, accompany each subscription. Start work to-day. Contest Headquarters, No. 272 Devonshire street, Boston.

PASTOR SURE SATAN INHABITS THE MOON

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The Rev. Zed Cepp, pastor of Bethany Chapel, has boosted the sphere of eternal torment from the bottom of creation all the way up to the moon. In a sermon of the Theosophical Society puts it in the moon. Dr. Baker told his parishioners that he had become convinced that all other theories concerning the real location of the future address of transgressors were false and that in fact the man in the moon is his satanic majesty.

VIVIEN GOULD IS TO WED ON FEB. 7

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—According to a report from London the wedding of Miss Vivien Gould, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Gould, and Lord Decies, is set for February 7. No formal announcement of the date of the wedding has been made by the Gould family, although it is believed that the time and place will be announced on Thursday evening at the large dinner dance to be given by Mrs. Gould for her daughter.

LAUNDRY COURSE FOR GIRL STUDENTS

COLUMBIA, Mo., Jan. 17.—The State University will teach women how to wash, beginning February 1. Every student in the home economics department must pull up her sleeves and work over a wash tub once a day.

MARRY ME, FRANCES

And I'll buy the ring of the Original and only Wise Bros., who make American girl weddings ring in their own factory, from $2 to $15. Any special ring to order in two hours. Look for our Brewery Ring Store. Open Evenings. Try us next time.

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WILSON BROTHERS, SCOLLAY SQ.

TO-DAY'S CABLE NEWS

Up to Midnight London Time

Mrs. Pankhurst Scored 's Suffragette Boss.

LONDON—The Militant Suffragette party has received a severe check by the publication of an article in The New Age by Mrs. Billington Greigs, a former prominent leader of the movement, in which she makes a scathing attack on the autocratic methods of Mrs. and Miss Pankhurst. Mrs. Greigs says: "In breaking my long connection with the Militant Suffragette movement I take back for myself that right of frank, free speech which my official position denied me. My experience of the last five years goes to prove that this suffragist militancy is not revolution, it is the exploitation of sex revolt for the purposes of advertisement. Mrs. Pankhurst tore up the constitution of the union, annulled the imminent annual conference and declared herself ruled by divine right. If Mr. Asquith is now women from suffrage on the grounds of expediency, Mrs. Pankhurst supplies justification. She has done the same by dealing some in the union's affairs to her followers. This leader impresses the yoke of emotional control by which the very virtues of the members are exploited. The product is a system of mental and spiritual slavery."

Find American Tied to Tree.

PARIS—A man describing himself as Harry Miller of New York, twenty-eight years of age, was discovered bound to a tree in the woods near Joinville-le-Pont, six miles east of Paris. A squad of soldiers came upon Miller, who declared that he had been set upon by two men, who after robbing him of his clothing and $1000 tied him to the tree. He was half frozen. In exchange for the clothes taken the robbers dressed him in an old coat and trousers.

Scientist Discovers Celtium.

PARIS—Addressing the Academy of Sciences, M. Urbain announced the discovery of a new element which he calls celtium. He told the members of the academy that he was seeking to increase the supply of lutetium, an element which he first found two years ago. During his experiments he worked with gadolinite earths and there found small quantities of a substance the diamagnetism of which was three or four times that of lutetium.

Rebuilding of Messina.

MESSINA, Sicily—The rebuilding of Messina in durable masonry was inaugurated when the cornerstone of the group of public buildings to be erected by the municipality was laid by Signor Sicoli, Minister of Public Works. The new city will be built of stone and concrete.

Plague Reaches Tientsin.

PEKIN—One death from the bubonic plague is reported at Tientsin, about seventy miles southeast of Pekin and the import of the capital. The American Legation has notified Roger S. Greene, the American Consul at Harbin, that he may close the consulate temporarily. Mr. Greene replied that he preferred to remain at his post.

WARMER SPELL IS ON THE WAY

OFFICIAL TEMPERATURES.

Midnight	Above	7 a. m.	Above
1 a. m.	11	7 a. m.	8
2 a. m.	10	8 a. m.	10
3 a. m.	9	10 a. m.	12
4 a. m.	9	11 a. m.	13
5 a. m.	8	12 Noon	15
6 a. m.	7		

Warmer weather is on the way, so cheer up. The weather man said so to-day when he blew hot and cold in the same breath, but promised weather something warmer than the bitter spell now prevailing. The present temperature is going to rise slowly but surely, and by tonight it ought not to be so cold.

The forecast is: "Fair to-night; Wednesday, unsettled, probably followed by snow or rain; somewhat warmer with moderate variable winds."

The weather man's prediction won't please everybody. Most people of course will be happy at the news, but New England's ice kings heard the tidings with grief. For some time they have been calling up the bureau in the Federal building, wanting to know when the zero weather would end. For a long stay to give them good ice in December, and none since 1904 that was.

Well then let the promoters of the Lexington Ice Carnival have been looking for a cold spell, and because of the lack of it have had to postpone their most several times. They announced that they will pull it off some Saturday when the weather is favorable.

New England was one of the coldest spots on the continent to-day—that is, the northern portion of it. Other cold places were in North Dakota and northeastern Montana. The cold wave is still hovering over the upper lake region and may move East later on. White River, in Ontario, was the coldest town, with the mercury standing 56 degrees below zero. At Quebec, the thermometer ranged around 18 degrees. It was 8 below at Greenville, Me., and 12 below at Eastport. Zero temperatures were recorded at Concord, N. H., and Portland, Me. Flurries of snow were reported from the upper Mississippi Valley. Galveston had summery weather with 75 degrees above.

VERDICT FOR ALDERMAN.

A verdict in favor of Alderman James F. Black of Cambridge was handed down to-day by Judge Charles Almy in the civil session of the Cambridge District Court. Black was sued for $1,000 by Joseph Wall, president of the Fathers' Club. Wall alleged that Black assaulted him after a hearing held in the City Hall, in which Wall protected against the sixth ward house license business of the local drug stores.

Rheumatism Advice

Gives Prominent Doctor's Best Prescription—Is Easily Mixed.

"Get one ounce of syrup of Sarsaparilla compound and one ounce Toris Blue compound. Then get half a pint of good whiskey and put the other two ingredients into it. Take a tablespoonful of this mixture before each meal and at bed time. Shake the bottle well before using." This is not new in this city, as many of the worst cases of rheumatism and back-ache have been cured by it. Good results come the first day. Any druggist has these ingredients on hand or will quickly get them from his wholesale house. Any one can mix them.

No only will this prescription knock rheumatism in a hurry, but it is a splendid tonic and soon restores appetite and vitality. Those who have tried it are enthusiastic over the results obtained.

Chandler & Co.

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A Sale of

Shantung Pongee Silks

Surpassing in values any previous sale of silks of like character ever held in Boston.

2.00, 1.50 and 1.25 qualities, in seven different weaves.

More than 15 shades in the new blues—More than 10 shades in helio and lavender—New greens—New browns—rose, tans, grays, apricot, peach, natural, white and beautiful pure black.

For Suits — For Dresses — For Coats — For Waists

All **58c** and **78c**

Furs

From Revillon Freres

NEW YORK — PARIS — LONDON

	Value	Price
Pointed Fox Muff	30.00	15.00
Pointed Fox Muff	65.00	32.50
Blue Wolf Scarf	18.00	9.00
Blue Wolf Scarf	13.50	6.50
Sable Fox Scarf	10.00	5.00
Sable Fox Scarf	16.00	7.50
Natural Skunk Muff	90.00	45.00
Natural Skunk Scarfs	35.00	17.50
Natural Skunk Scarfs	60.00	29.00
Natural Skunk Scarfs	80.00	15.00
Australian Opossum Muff	30.00	15.00
Australian Opossum Scarf	45.00	22.50
Australian Opossum Muff	60.00	30.00
Black Lynx Scarf	90.00	45.00
Black Lynx Muff	80.00	40.00
Black Fox Scarf	45.00	22.50
Black Fox Muff	80.00	40.00
Mink Muff	90.00	45.00
Mink Muff	85.00	27.50
Mink Shawl	55.00	27.50
Mink Shawl	80.00	40.00
36 in. Hudson Seal Coat	140.00	70.00
40 in. Hudson Seal Coat	170.00	85.00
Fancy Hudson Seal Coat	160.00	80.00
Russian Pony Coat	110.00	55.00
Russian Pony Coat	140.00	70.00
Russian Pony Coat	150.00	75.00
Misses' Pony Coat	80.00	40.00
Natural Mink Coat	1250.00	625.00
Natural Mink Coat	1350.00	675.00
Black Cloth Coat, Squirrel lined, Lynx collar	160.00	80.00
Black Cloth Coat, Squirrel lined, Raccoon collar	110.00	55.00
Grey Cloth Coat, Squirrel lined, Persian Opossum collar	125.00	62.50

Suits Marked Very Low

Not a large lot, but included are some very special values. The suits are in mixtures, cheviots and serges in plain tailored styles. Not a piece in the lot worth less than 25.00 and many sold earlier in the season at 32.50. Price **16.50**

Values in Dresses

About 30 in this lot—Messaline, Marquisette, Crepe de Chine, Chiffon, Voile and Serge, in colors for afternoon and street wear—embroidered, beaded and lace trimmed. All this season's models. Values 25.00, 35.00 to 65.00. All **16.50** and **25.00**

Two Specials in Waists

Lingerie Waists in tucked yoke styles with trimmings of embroidery and lace insertions—high collars and short sleeves, tucked and trimmed. Value 2.50. Price **1.50**

Novelty Silk Waists in striped and Persian effects, made in semi-tailored styles, with long sleeves, also in open back style with new plain shoulder effect. Value 5.75. Price **3.95**

Imported Dress Goods

at 50 to 65% Discount

Rough effects in French Boucles, French Cheviots, Paris Suitings, Camels' Hair Weaves, Fancy English Serge, Mixtures and high class novelty fabrics. Every yard imported to sell at 2.00, 2.50 and 3.00 the yard. All **1.00** Yard

Three Very Special Values in

Wash Goods

Imported Scotch Zephyr Ginghams in a choice assortment of patterns. Every yard imported and made to sell for 25c. All yours **12½c**

Mercerized Batiste, fine sheer quality with a beautiful silky finish. Colors pink, light blue and heliotrope. Value 37½c yard. All priced.. **19c**

Imported Dimities, 30 inches wide in white and colored grounds, very handsomely printed in all colors. Regular 19c value. All priced **12½c**

New Undermuslins

Specially priced—Every piece newly made

450 Night Gowns in about 20 attractive models, some quite elaborate, others in dainty simply styles—all of very superior quality of materials and trimmings. Regularly worth 1.50 each. Special price.. **1.00**

260 Night Gowns in high, square, V and round necks and chemise styles. Chandler & Co.'s special qualities. Regularly worth 2.25. Special price **1.65**

430 Night Gowns in about 30 new and attractive styles—nainsook long cloth, cotton and cambric. Regularly worth 2.50 and 2.95. Special price **1.95**

240 Night Gowns of fine nainsook, elaborately trimmed—imported medallions and fine valenciennes laces. A good value at 5.00. Specially priced **2.95**

Women's Union Suits

Values 1.50, 1.75 and 2.00 each. Of merino, cotton and mercerized and cotton. High neck, long and short sleeves, ankle length. **1.00** Each

Women's Coat Sweaters

Regular 6.50, 7.50 and 8.00 values. Made of fine zephyr yarn—Coat Sweaters and College Sweaters in single and double-breasted styles. New stylish weaves—white and white with colored collars and cuffs. **4.50** Each

New Corsets at Half Price

	Value	Price
W. B., new models	2.00	1.00
W. B., new models	3.00	1.50
W. B., new models	5.00	2.50

Umbrellas at Clearance Prices

	Value	Price
18 Women's Pure Silk Umbrellas, in colors	3.00	1.50
9 Women's Taffeta Silk Umbrellas, 26-inch	4.50	2.95
11 Women's Folding Umbrellas	5.00	2.95
21 Women's Pure Dye Silk Umbrellas	2.50	1.95
4 Women's Umbrellas, long novelty handles	3.50	3.50
19 Misses' Red Silk Umbrellas	3.50	1.95

Two Special Values in Puffs

Silk Puffs, fine quality silk top and bottom with handsome plain silk border and figured centre. Value 7.50. Price **5.95**

Satin Covered Puffs, in beautiful floral and Persian colorings. Made to Chandler & Co.'s special order. Specially priced **3.95**

Filene's Tunnel Bargain Basement Filene's

"A Store of Concentrated Opportunities—"

From all over this country and abroad Bargains come to the Tunnel Bargain Basement—from all the Big Centers of Garment Making we get lots.

Every Lot (1) Must Be a Bargain (2) Must Be of Dependable Quality.

The Best Bargains from Manufacturers—from Mills—from Factories—from Mail Order Houses selling from Catalogs—concentrate in the Tunnel Bargain Basement, and the Result—a constant flow of Bargain Opportunities—Hundreds of Them Every Day.

Suits That Will Buy 9.00

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1st—Three Piece Suits
2nd—Fur Trimmed Suits
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All at Nine Dollars

Broadcloths and Novelty Materials

Worth 18.50 to 22.50

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Infants' 2.00 Wool Eiderdown Coats

Cape is trimmed with bands of silk, fancy braids and silk buttons; soft, warm and durable; white, pink, blue; up to 4 years. TO-DAY **69c**

HUNDREDS OF OTHER LOTS NOT ADVERTISED!

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WEDNESDAY IN WHITE'S BARGAIN BASEMENT

Women's Furs

At Less Than Half Price

These Furs positively must be closed out at once. We have therefore taken a markdown from the former bargain price to these ridiculously low prices.

2.94 For REGULAR 6.00 & 6.50 FURS

Fine Black Hare Sets, good size neck throw, trimmed with tails, satin lining; good size pillow muff; also handsome White Hare Furs, good size scarfs, handsomely trimmed with tails; also Persian Paw Muffs, good size, and very latest styles.

5.96 For REGULAR 13.50 FURS

Handsome Persian Paw Sets, good size throw, plain and fancy, lined with fine satin, large rug muff to match, beautifully trimmed with satin braid and satin pleated ruching; an excellent set at less than half price.

Women's Cotton Underwear

39c For REGULAR 69c UNDERWEAR

Nightgowns, Drawers, Corset Covers and Skirts; handsomely trimmed with lace and embroidery; good quality cotton.

1.69 For REGULAR 2.50 PETTICOATS

Women's white petticoats, extra full size; trimmed with lace and embroidery, some trimmed with three and four rows of lace.

COMPROMISE IN SLATER FIGHT

The legal contest in which Mrs. Mabel Hunt Slater, the millionaire society woman of Brookline and Readville and widow of Horatio Nelson Slater, sought to have the three trustees of the $15,000,000 Slater estate removed for alleged mismanagement, is to be compromised and will be dropped in court. The case was on the docket to come up before Judge Hammond in the Supreme Court to-day. It is understood there will be no further court hearing in the matter.

It is understood that the arrangement will favor Mrs. Slater and her four children. Mrs. Slater would not discuss the matter.

At the courthouse to-day Attorney Sherman L. Whipple, counsel for Mrs. Slater, was asked if the rumor of a compromise was true. He said:

"Well, I'll tell you. I can't say anything now, but if there is anything to be told I'll give it to you later on."

In the Supreme Court to-day Attorney Whipple and former Attorney-General Herbert Parker conferred privately with Judge Hammond, and informed him both had engagements to argue cases before the full bench to-day. Judge Hammond excused both. It had been thought the case would be the first to come up for a hearing.

The trustees Mrs. Slater desired to have removed are: Amos Bartlett of Webster, Congressman Charles G. Washburn of Worcester and Frank Bulkeley Smith of Worcester. In her petition Mrs. Slater said that the trustees had so managed the mill property at Webster that the mills failed to yield the usual profit of $520,000 annually. She alleged further that the trustees had endeavored to sell the property against the wishes of herself and her children, which constituted a violation of trust and was in itself sufficient grounds for removal.

Mrs. Slater further stated that it had always been her intention to keep the mills for her two sons, William M. H. and Horatio Slater.

COLLEGE PRIZE FOR SOMERVILLE GIRL

YPSILANTI, Jan. 17.—Miss Lillian Treagwell of Somerville, Mass., is one of the young people to win the Normal College final oratorical contest and will represent the college at the oratoral league in March. She graduated from the high school at Somerville in 1908 and entered the Michigan Normal College the same Fall.

DISORDERED DIGESTION

If Neglected May Develop Into a Severe Form of Stomach Trouble.

The Best Safeguard Is to Keep the Stomach Toned Up and the Treatment Should Be Begun When the First Symptom Is Noted.

"A few years ago," says Mrs. George Fallis, of Finlayson, Minn., "I began to suffer from stomach trouble. It came on me gradually and I do not know what caused it. I gave little heed to it at the time thinking that it was merely a slight attack of indigestion. It finally developed into a severe form of stomach trouble and I suffered terribly for months.

"As the beginning of my sickness I had fainting spells and became unconscious. There was gas on my stomach, my appetite was very poor and what little I ate did not seem to be digested. I was sick at my stomach a great deal and had severe dizzy attacks. I had hot flashes when it would seem as though I was burning up. I could not sleep night or day during these spells unless I took something to ease the pain. I was very weak and was in this condition for six months. I could not do any work and was confined to bed for two or three days at a time.

"A doctor at Duluth said I had gastritis. He did not give me much help so I tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills upon my mother's advice. I gave the pills a thorough trial and unlike the doctor's medicine, they agreed with me. I took several boxes of the pills and was entirely cured. I think so much of the pills that I always keep them in the house."

The tonic treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills by building up the blood so that it can nourish and strengthen the weakened digestive system has made hundreds of cures in the most severe stomach disorders. This record of cures should merit a trial for the remedy which is guaranteed free from opiates.

A new edition of the booklet, "What to Eat and How to Eat," is free on request. Send a postal for it to-day and begin to cure yourself by following the directions it contains.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are on sale at all druggists, or they will be sent to any address by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box; six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

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Dr. Estabrooks can, at popular prices, replace the lost teeth by the use of his well known Agreeable system of dentistry without the use of an odd-style plate or old-style rubber or metal one. Don't let an unscrupulous dentist tack your teeth or make you a set of false teeth—Dr. Estabrooks' Anchor Denture Plate will have no more solid teeth or roots left. The Anchor Denture Plate is the best for you. Unlike the ordinary set of teeth, Dr. Estabrooks' Anchor Denture Plate fits the cheeks. This means that it supports your lips and holds your face perfectly. It is cool, comfortable, durable, and fits better. It never drops, shifts or slips, thus, to cause worry or embarrassment.

Gold Fillings $1 and large size $2. Other Fillings 50c. Gold Crowns $3.50 to $5.

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No charge for examinations or advice. People who have sensitive teeth to be filled or obliged to have teeth extracted can come here with absolute confidence that they will Not Be Hurt in the Slightest and enjoy the comforts of Real Painless Dentistry.

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Where Fair Skaters Find the Skating Good

SKATING BULLETIN FOR BOSTON PONDS.

Here is to-day's official skating bulletin of the Boston Park Department:

Jamaica Pond	Good
Franklin Field	Good
Reidsdale	Rough
Billings Field	Good
Neponset	Fair
Gibson street	Good
Ashmont	Fair
Myrtle Hill	Fair
William Ewatts Field	Rough
Randolph street	Fair
Charlestown	Rough
Wood Island	Fair
Cottage street	Rough

SCHENK AUTO DRIVER'S STORY

WHEELING, W. Va., Jan. 17.—The feeling between attorneys in the trial of Mrs. Laura Farnsworth Schenk on the charge of attempting to poison her millionaire husband has become so bitter that Judge Jordan is tried to the utmost in attempting to preserve court ethics.

Their clashes were renewed as soon as the case re-opened to-day when Prosecutor Hanlidan demanded that a reporter from a Pittsburg paper be barred from the court room, declaring that he had sent out untruthful and sensational reports regarding the testimony of Mrs. Kline, alias Eleanor Zoeckler, the woman detective who has given such strong testimony against Mrs. Schenk.

Mrs. Kline Is Recalled.

After a sharp wrangle the reporter was called before the court for an explanation. The Court then addressed all of the newspaper men explaining the protection to which all witnesses are entitled.

"If anything improper is sent out from this courtroom in the future the author will be sent to jail," declared the Judge.

Judge Jordan then made each reporter present promise to take the responsibility for what appeared in his paper. The re-cross-examination of Mrs. Kline was then taken up.

When Mr. O. Boyce, for the defence, again resumed his interrogation of the witness, he used the same sharp and sarcastic manner which he used all day yesterday. He asked the witness if she had discussed the pinching of poison in eggs and also asked her if she and Mrs. Schenk had not discussed the method by which Dr. Crippen poisoned his wife in London, both of which Mrs. Kline denied.

This closed her examination. Mrs. Schenk followed many of the remarks that appear in her eyes as Mrs. Kline left the stand. As the women looked at each other there was decided hostility in their glances.

Lundy Wilson, chauffeur for Mrs. Schenk, next took the stand. He was prepared to testify Mrs. Schenk gathered up her notebook as though she intended to follow the Kline story closely and make many notes on his testimony.

Mrs. Schenk's attitude toward the chauffeur seemed to be friendly as he took the stand. Mr. Handlan plunged into the heart of his inquiry at once.

"Do you know Ina Phillips?"

"I do."

"How did you get acquainted with him?"

"By his riding in the car with Mrs. Schenk."

"What do you know about Mrs. Schenk running to the store where Phillips worked to see him.

"She has been going there since I was married last Spring."

Mrs. Schenk's face clouded when she noted how readily Wilson arrested the prosecutor's questions.

Objections Are Overruled.

Some of Mr. Handlan's questions were vigorously objected to by Mrs. Schenk's lawyers, but many of them were overruled by the court, and Wilson was allowed to tell his story.

"I telephoned to Phillips and carried notes to him," said the witness. "She did not want anybody at the store to know who was calling on the 'phone. On the automobile rides I would purchase the beer and sandwiches which were then along. All of us would eat and drink, although some times Mrs. Schenk didn't drink.

"We usually went into the country in Ohio. I was ordered to stop when I got to the regular place," as we came to know it, and after eating and drinking I would walk up the road for an hour or two, leaving them alone."

"Did you ever see anything improper between them?"

"The way they sat in the car was not proper."

"Did Mrs. Schenk ever tell you she had improper relations with Phillips?"

"Yes, she admitted to me that she had."

QUITS HARVARD TO AID DAUGHTERS

That he may join his wife and daughters in Italy, Professor Silas Marcus MacVane, head of the history department at Harvard, a well known authority on international law and the oldest member of the faculty, will retire at the close of the present headquake year. It is said that his resignation will take effect September 1.

His retirement primarily is due to the illness of two of his daughters, one of whom is Miss Dorothea MacVane, whose recent triumphant debut in grand opera in Rome has aroused much interest. Italy. She was struck down with typhoid fever in the midst of her new found glory.

Her sister, Miss Edith MacVane, was also taken ill of the dread typhoid soon after and the talented singer was stricken. Both are now convalescent.

OUSTED AS RECEIVER AFTER ELOPEMENT

Robert W. Sawyer, Jr., a lawyer, who suddenly left this State last October and has since been missing, has been removed as receiver of the Supreme Council of the Home Circle, a fraternal beneficiary association, by Judge Bruley in the Supreme Court. Sawyer eloped with the wife of an office associate.

CAREFUL, GIRLS! SAY "Z," SURE

Every Boston girl who says "Yes" when the right man proposes will try to remember hereafter to say "Z" after it, like this: "Yes—Z."

This isn't a new secret society. It's Mildred Holland's recipe for beauty.

The happy swain may be startled by the unexpected "Z" sound, following the wished-for "Yes." If he is suspicious by nature he may think his best girl is murmuring "cosy" under her breath, after she has clinched the proposal.

But she isn't saying "cosy," even though she may think so. She is merely making a "Z" sound because she has spoken a word with an "S" in it. That's the advice of Mildred Holland, actress, to women and girls who wish to retain their beauty—to all women and girls, as it were.

Dispatches from New York relate Miss Holland's lecture to the Professional Women's League at the league clubhouse. She said in part:

"You must never say a word with an S in it unless you immediately follow it with a Z. The reason is obvious. Even when you say 'yes' to the right man you are producing hollows in your throat and Z rounds them out again."

Miss Holland also cautioned women to sleep with their mouths shut, even if they have to tie their jaws up.

"Kisses may be injurious," declared the lecturer. But she allowed that most women, married ones anyhow, were subject to kissing. "My husband kisses me a good deal," she admitted.

REAL, LIVE KING IS DEPORTED

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—For the first time perhaps in the history of the United States a king of a nation with which this country is at peace was deported as an undesirable alien. The board of special inquiry on Ellis Island wouldn't let 10 Petro Lacus, one of the many "kings" of the Gypsies, and he went back with his family. The king confessed that he had formerly lived in this country, but quarreled with his wife, left her, went back to Bosnia and there bought him a new wife for $110 and a fat pig.

FEARS GIRL HAS BEEN ABDUCTED

BROCKTON, Jan. 17.—Walter H. Baker of Duxbury has informed the police that his daughter, Ivy F. Baker, fifteen, disappeared last Monday and that he fears she has been abducted. She was last seen talking to a strange woman and it is feared that she has been lured away.

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BRINGS $10,000 ALIENATION SUIT

Alleging that Burke Rivers, manager of a retail shoe store at No. 381 Washington street, with a residence at No. 7 Upton street, Cambridgeport, alienated the affections of his wife, Mrs. Catherine Bagster of No. 341 West Third street, South Boston, Howard M. Bagster, a salesman in a shoe store at No. 47 Temple place, who lives at No. 10 Alexander street, Dorchester, has brought a $10,000 suit in the Suffolk Superior Court against Rivers.

Bagster, through his attorney, William H. Waite of No. 87 Milk street, was seeking evidence which might lead to a divorce when he discovered, he alleges, information which prompted him to bring the alienation suit against Rivers.

Rivers is reputed to be rich and has moved in exclusive society circles in Cambridge. The Dorchester and Boston friends of Mr. Bagster had not known that relations between him and his wife were so far restrained as to prompt divorce proceedings until the suit against Mr. Rivers was recorded.

Mr. and Mrs. Bagster were married about five years ago. Previous to the wedding she was employed as a cashier in Mr. Rivers's store. She has remained there during the five years of wedded life. For a short while the Bagsters have been separated.

Mr. Bagster and his attorney refused to say on what grounds the alienation suit was based, preferring to let the facts come out as evidence later. Startling testimony will be introduced, it is said, unless a settlement is reached.

TIMELY ADVICE

Never wait for a cold to wear off—it wears away the lungs instead. Father John's Medicine gives prompt relief from colds and throat and lung troubles. Free from alcohol and nerve-destroying drugs upon which many medicines depend for their temporary effect, and which are dangerous, because they weaken the body and allow the disease to get a deeper hold.

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Scotch Lace Curtains—Two pairs of these beautiful, durable curtains, in white and Arab, double thread and mesh edges, new patterns.

$1.29 Scotch Lace Curtains, a pair	95c
$1.75 Scotch Lace Curtains, a pair	1.29
$2.25 Scotch Lace Curtains, a pair	1.65
$3.50 Scotch Lace Curtains, a pair	2.45
$4.50 Scotch Lace Curtains, a pair	3.25

COUCH COVERS—In connection with this sale we will offer 2000 Kashgar, Daghestan, Afghan and Persian covers, in a wide variety of colorings and designs, which we will mark as follows:

$2.50 Couch Covers, each	1.79
$3.00 Couch Covers, each	2.29
$4.50 Couch Covers, each	3.25
$6.00 Couch Covers, each	4.65

MUSLIN CURTAINS (Like Cut) A Pair 69c

HONITON LACE CURTAINS (Like Cut) A Pair 1.29

Curtain Rods Brass extension tubes, trimmed with white ball ends, suitable for muslin and lace curtains. Val. 15c ea., at 9c

Window Shades Tinted opaque shades in the popular colors, made ready to hang. Manufacturers' imperfect 25c shades, for this sale 15c each 15c

Burlap 36 inches wide, suitable for wall and floor covering, also for portieres, plain, green, red and brown. Value 17c a yard, at 11c

BORDERED CURTAINS (Like Cut) A Pair 1.19

Sash Curtains Dotted Muslin Sash Curtains, made of good quality muslin, ready to hang. Value 25c a pair, at 15c

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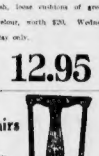
Buy $20.00 Parlor Suits for $12.95

THIS 3-PIECE PARLOR SUIT. Mahogany finish, loose cushions of green velour, worth $20. Wednesday only. 12.95

Large Mission Rocker, $3.95

THIS EXTRA LARGE MISSION ROCKER was made to our order and cannot be duplicated for less than double the price. The seat is upholstered with Spanish butterette. Sale price, 3.95

$9.00 Dressers for $6.95
SOLID OAK DRESSER with oval, 42 in. base, with four drawers and deep bevel edge mirror. Value $9. Special 6.95



$2.25 Dining Chairs $1.35
QUARTERED OAK BOX FRAME DINING CHAIRS, with French legs, close fret and cane seat. They cannot be duplicated for less than $2.25. Specially priced, 1.35

$16.50 Dressers for $10.95
WE ILLUSTRATE ONE OF OUR NEW PATTERN DRESSERS. Full Serpentine front, made of selected quarter sawed oak with a 24x30 bevel mirror. Value $16.50. Specially priced at 10.95

GOLDEN OAK CHIFFONIER, new design, 5 deep drawers, nice shaped bevel mirror, regular value $12.50. Special for 7.95

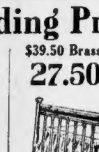
JUST 25 OF LARGE ARM CHAIRS AND ROCKERS, only. These cushions all are made of heavy stock, frames are mahogany finished, and are worth $6.50. Specially priced at 3.95

Lowest Bedding Prices for Wednesday

$11.98 Bed Outfit for 8.50

Extra Heavy White Enamel Bed (like cut), an all-steel iron wire spring and a white cotton mattress. All sizes. 8.50

$39.50 Brass Bed Outfit for 27.50



This Handsome Brass Bed, with solid brass spindles, 2 in. posts, National spring and a cotton fiber combination mattress. All sizes. 27.50

$15.00 Bed Outfit for 11.75

Fancy Enamel Bed (like cut), with heavy brass top rail, an all-steel coil spring and a white cotton mattress. All sizes. 11.75

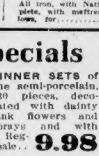
$5.50 SPRING FOR $3.75. All-steel frame, woven wire mesh, with a National wire loop, has extra heavy pipe sides and large corners, that make spring unusually high. 3.75

$8.50 CRIB. All iron, white enamel crib, with brass trimmings, sliding sides, also National spring bottom. Complete with cotton mattress. 5.98

$5.50 SLIDING COUCH that can be separated and used as 2 different couches. All iron, with National spring top. Complete, with mattress and pillows, for 6.98

$8.50 COUCH COT. An all steel frame, 30 inches wide with National spring top. Sold complete with "Angora" hair mattress. Price, 4.95

$10.98 FIREPROOF TEA POTS—like cut, in the popular Japanese edge ware, nicely decorated. Would be a bargain at 50c, special for this sale 24c each 24c



Wednesday Specials in China Department

DINNER SETS of fine semi-porcelain, 120 pieces, decorated with dainty pink flowers and sprays and with gold ornamentation on all handles. Regular value $15.00, marked for this sale 9.98

FIREPROOF JAPANESE CHINA BAKING DISHES, like cut, suitable for baking meat, puddings, etc., handsomely decorated in blue and red designs. Worth regularly $1.00 a set, special for this sale 49c a set of three sizes 49c

HOT CAKE DISHES, beautifully decorated griddle or hot cake dishes, in rich border and flower decorations, with perforated cover. Regular 98c value. Marked for this sale 49c

Wednesday Floor Covering Bargains

REMNANTS OF INLAID LINOLEUMS, remnants through to the back, measuring 8 to 11 square yards, $1.25 value, at, per square yard 78c

SMYRNA RUGS, woven without a seam, choice Oriental patterns and reversible, some of the most popular colors.

Size	Value	At
6 x 9	$8.50	5.63
7.6x10.6	$9.50	6.23
9 x 9	$10.00	6.48
9 x10.6	$12.00	9.98
9 x12	$13.50	11.23

63c LINOLEUMS 48c

LINOLEUMS, made from cork and linseed oil, patterns we shall not continue another season, 2 yards wide, 63c value, at 48c square yard. 48c

JAPANESE HAND-WOVEN RUGS, Oriental designs.

Size	Value	At
30x60	$2.00	1.39
48x84	$4.50	3.48

TAPESTRY BRUSSELS RUGS—Entirely new designs, excellent covering for living room or parlor floor.

Size	Value	At
8.3x10.6	$12.00	9.78
9 x12	$14.00	11.48

AXMINSTER RUGS—In rich effects, floral and Oriental designs, beautiful covering for the parlor floor, size 9x12, value $25, at 18.23

ALDRICH ENDS POLITICAL LIFE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Although Senator Aldrich is not regarded as dangerously ill his physicians have pointly warned him that he must stop all work, and his departure for Jekyl Island, off the Georgia coast is regarded here as mocking the end of his political career. His term in the Senate expires on March 4, but he is not expected to return here for any Senatorial work.

$500,000 FOR CUSTOM HOUSE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Estimates of $500,000 for the enlargement of the Boston Custom House and of $100,000 for the Appraisers' Stores building in the same city, are in the report sent to Congress by Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh. President Taft blocked the sending in of these and other public building estimates at the opening of the session to fit in with the economy program, but has yielded to the protest of members of both houses.

CHARGE ROBIN HID $1,000,000

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—It is virtually charged in the filing of an involuntary petition in bankruptcy against Joseph G. Robin, in the United State District Court, that the banker, now under arrest and through whose operations the Northern Bank of New York and the Washington Savings Bank were wrecked, has secreted not less than $1,000,000 of his gain. It is alleged he did this through deeding property to members of his family

LIKENS CUPBOARDS OF MAJORITY TO MOTHER HUBBARD'S

Most cupboards are like Mother Hubbard's. The many are getting the bones from which the few have gnawed the meat. Yet natural production is sufficient for all. Trust parasites apply a human law that if you throw two men into the air, one will light on his feet, the other on his head. Most of us come down on our heads.—*The Rev. W. W. Bustard, pastor, Euclid Avenue Baptist Church, Cleveland.*

NOVEL PARTY FOR MISS TAFT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Miss Taft was entertained in a novel way by Dr. Cary T. Grayson, United States Navy, surgeon of the Mayflower, the presidential yacht.

In place of the conventional dinner dance and theatre party, Dr. Grayson arranged a day's frolic on horseback.

Chaperoned by Mrs. Herbert Wadsworth, the most famous horsewoman in Washington, Miss Taft rode to Baltimore.

MAYOR PROBES TRUST PRICES

A big difference in prices charged the city for coal and flour and those which ordinary consumers have to pay for the same commodities has caused Mayor Fitzgerald to present the facts to District Attorney Pelletier and the Finance Commission for an investigation to discover if there were combinations to keep up prices on these articles.

YANKEE GIRL'S DUKE AT WORK

LONDON, Jan. 17.—Society has been supplied with a new thrill in the news that the Duke of Veseu, who married Miss Anita Stewart of New York, has gone to work. Dukes who are members of royal families and married to American heiresses and yet follow the daily routine of life in a London stockbroker's office are sufficiently rare to cause wonder, even in this city.

Wednesday, January 18th, Will Be the 10th Blue Ribbon Day at Gilchrist's

Here is a rule that will make our first "Blue Ribbon Day" in 1911 the greatest of them all

"Blue Ribbon Prices must be lower than any competitive offerings in Boston."

WE are forced, by the clearance offerings of competitive stores, to reach the lowest price-marks ever quoted in Boston. We present this advertisement as a positive proof that Gilchrist's "Blue Ribbon Day" (Under any and all circumstances) offers unmatchable savings in every instance.

GILCHRIST'S Blue Ribbon Day Sales, from the very inception, have been the most wonderful selling events ever inaugurated by any New England store. This success is based upon strictly adhering to four of the most stringent rules that ever governed a sale, namely, 1st, that all merchandise must be new and seasonable; 2d, that every price must be lower than that of any competitive offering; 3d, that these conditions must exist throughout the entire establishment; 4th, that none but the best of merchandise be offered, and that all offerings be here in unlimited quantities.

We're going to live up to the above rules to the letter (In spite of the fact that January is a month of cut prices) and prove conclusively that Gilchrist's "Blue Ribbon Day" stands supreme among New England's great merchandising events.

WEDNESDAY JAN. 18 **BLUE RIBBON DAY** WEDNESDAY JAN. 18

PRIZE WINNERS

WOMEN'S APPAREL
(Washington Street Side)

$15.00 Serge Suits—Women's and Misses' serge, made from finest quality serge, handsome satin lined, newest models, at.....$10.00
$25.00 Worsted Suits—Mannish worsted suits in fancy plaids, newest patterns, Spencer satin lined, at.....$15.00
$12.00 Mixture Coats—Full length coat, wool, made with convertible military collar, at.....7.50
$12.75 Carmeli Cloth Coats—Women's and misses' full length skin cutaway, full sweep, fancy lined, at.....$7.98
$20.00 Kersey Coats—Women's and misses' winter models, fine materials, full length, with fancy collar effects, at.....$12.75
$50.00 Dresses—Misses' and Women's dresses, in serge, panama, cashmere and broadcloth, at.....$15.00
$5.00 Bath Robes—Fine quality satin and eiderdown robes, elaborately trimmed, wool nap effects, at.....$3.98
$6.00 Panama Skirts—All wool chiffon Panama skirts, elaborately trimmed, in new models, at.....$3.98
$1.25 Percale House Dresses—One and two-piece dresses, with plaited waist and full flare or flounce skirt, in light or dark colors, at.....98c
Dressing Sacques—Fleece down and German flannel, many pretty styles, in plain kimona style, finished with button hole stitches and belt to match, 89c

FURS
(Washington Street Side)

$25.00 and $40.00 Hudson Seal, Pony Coats—32 inches long, good quality skins, satin lined, other coats to $40.00 value, at.....$25.00
$12.50 Fur Scarfs—Sample line of scarfs, Isabella, opossum, plain and fancy furs, at.....$8.50
Muffs to match, at.....$2.98

GIRLS' APPAREL
(Washington Street Side)

$2.00 Girls' Rain Capes—Full sweep, full length, Italia string rubber plaid lined hood, sizes 6 to 14 years, regular $3 value, at.....1.20
$7.50 Girls' Coats—Fine winter models, in cheviots, serges and mixed broadcloths, sizes 6 to 14 years, at.....$3.98
$1.98 Girls' Sailor Dresses—Navy blue and light blue extra fine quality indestructible serge, with white or navy blue collars, at.....$1.49
$2.50 Girls' Gingham Dresses—Handsome plaids, made in newest models, neatly trimmed, sizes 6 to 14, at.....$1.49

WOMEN'S SWEATERS

$1.50 Coat Sweaters—Misses' sweaters, white, red and gray, sizes 32 to 36, at.....$1.00
$2.00 Golf Vests—For women, in white, gray and black and white mixtures, at.....$1.25
$2.50 Coat Sweaters—Women's sweaters, in white, red and gray, sizes 34 to 42 inches, at.....98c
$2.50 Coat Sweaters—Women's sweaters, in white, red and gray, at.....$1.98
$5.00 Coat Sweaters—Women's sweaters in white only, at.....$2.89

WAISTS

75c to $1.00 Lawn Waists—Lace and tucked fronts, trimmed with lace, hand embroidered, at.....49c
$1.50 Batiste Waists—White, hand embroidered, at.....98c
$2.50 Embroidered Batiste Waists—Embroidered front waist, back and sleeves of plain batiste, at.....$1.49
$5.00 Taffeta Waists—Silk waists, rustling taffeta, at.....$3.75
$4.00 Taffeta Waists—Black only, satin taffeta, at.....$2.98
$5.00 Silk Waists—Black and colors, at.....$2.98
$7.50 Flannel Waists—Stripe flannel waists, at.....$3.98
$1.25 and $1.50 Flannel Waists—Women and flannel waists in stripes, checks and plaids, at.....98c

CHILDREN'S WEAR.
(Washington Street Side)

50c Children's Night Gowns—Fancy flannelette, in pretty striped patterns, yoke trimmed with braid, sizes 4 to 12 years, at.....39c
39c Children's White Gulmpe—Fine grade percale, finished with lace and insertion, made in new style, at.....25c
$1.50 Infants' and Children's Sweaters—Coat sweaters, with collar and V necks, with cotton cord and tassels, at.....98c
39c Children's Night Gowns—Fancy flannelette, in pretty striped patterns, yoke trimmed with braid, sizes 2 to 12 years, at.....19c
50c Tams, Toques and Hockey Caps—Fine all wool, in red, white and mixtures, at.....25c
25c Infants' Cotton Slips—Long, with tucked yoke, at.....19c
19c Gulmpe Dresses—Heavy grade, 50c 2 to 6 years, at.....

TRAVELING BAGS
(Winter Street Side)

$6.00 Leather Suit Case—Leather lined, Viking leather, double handles, sizes 20 to 24 inches, at.....$3.98
$2.98 Traveling Bags—Cane covered, leather trimmed, fancy lined, at.....$1.98

TOILET GOODS
(Winter Street Side)

5c Face Cloths—Knitted cloths with fine finish, white, pink, blue, at.....3c
5c Toilet Paper—Full size and quality, 1000 sheets to roll, at.....25c
10c Castile Soap—Scented or unscented, 7c, 4 for 25c
10c Vaseline—.....5c
5c Borax—20 mule team brand, at.....3c
5c Peroxide—Full test guaranteed, at the Soda Fountain, at.....2 for 5c
25c Rubberset Tooth Brushes—Fine quality, at.....15c
99c Hot Water Bottles—Six months guarantee, at.....69c

SMALL WARES
(Winter Street Side)

15c Hair Nets—Corona brand, at.....9c
$1.25 Hair Puffs—Human hair clipped puffs, at.....98c
25c Hair Rolls—Washable and sanitary, at.....17c
3c Darning Cotton—Full length, 4 for 5c
25c Silk Elastic—Black and white, at.....17c
10c Dress Shields—Boyle brand, warranted, at.....7c
Veiver—The best and best value to be had, at.....15c
15c Hair Pins—Invisible, 3 dozen to gilt braid, at.....10c

LININGS
(Washington Street Side)

$1.00 Yard Wide Satins—Wear guaranteed, all black and colors, at.....69c
79c Satine—Black and colors, at.....49c
10c Spun Silk—Last wide, good line of colors, at.....6c
6c Yard Wide Satins—Black and full line of colors, at.....4c
50c Silk Moreen—25 inches wide, all black and other colors, at.....25c
15c Yard Wide Sateens—In black and full line of colors, at.....10c
75c Yard Wide Satins—Novelty dress Persians, at.....49c
25c Linen Canvas and Crinoline—In all black and colors, at.....17c
45c English Venetian—32 inches wide, fine quality, at.....27½c
25c Percaline—Fine quality, in black and colors, at.....19c
35c Cotton Taffeta—Yard wide, in black and colors, at.....19c
$1.10 Brocade Satins—All the wanted shades, wear guaranteed, at.....89c

HANDKERCHIEFS
(Washington Street Side)

12½c Men's Handkerchiefs—Pure linen, hemstitched.....
17c Women's Handkerchiefs—Pure linen, narrow hems.....9½c
6 for 60c Women's Handkerchiefs—Pure linen, initials.....6 for 25c
6 for 35c Women's Handkerchiefs—Pure linen, hemstitched.....6 for 25c

BOYS' CLOTHING
(Washington Street Side)

Boys' 25c Bloomers—Ages 3 to 15, in fine fancy and novelty wool effects, at.....19c
Boys' 50c Caps and Hats—All sizes and colors, at.....39c
Boys' 50c Knickerbockers—Knickerbockers, knickerbocker pants—cut full—in all sizes, 3 to 16 years, at.....39c
Boys' $1.00 Hats—All new styles, in all colors, at.....69c
Boys' $1.00 Sweaters—In plain colors and fancy effects, at.....69c
Boys' $2.50 Suits and Overcoats—Ages 3 to 10 years, in Russian style, in plain blue or fancy mixtures; overcoats in ages 3 to 8 years, at.....$1.79
Boys' $1.00 Overcoats—In ages 3 to 10 years, in Russian style, in plain colors with Astrachan collar and cuffs, in fancy mixtures, at.....$2.49
Boys' $5.00 Overcoats—Ages 3 to 10 years, cut long, with convertible collar, at.....$3.49
Boys' $5.00 Overcoats—Ages 3 to 10 years, in chinchillas, kerseys, or fancy Scotch mixtures, at.....$3.49
Boys' $7.50 Overcoats—Ages 8 to 15 years, cut long, with convertible collar, in fancy cassimeres, at.....$5.49
Young Men's $12.50 and $8.50 Suits and Overcoats—Suits in ages 15 to 20 years, in single and double breasted sacks, in all sizes, in black and fancy mixtures; overcoats in ages 15 to 20 years, at.....$5.49

MARABOUT
(Winter Street Side)

$6.95 Marabout Stoles—Long blue, imported stoles, in two shapes, fully five strands wide, black and natural, at.....$4.98
$14.50 Marabout Capes—Best quality in black only, at.....$9.75
$7.50 Marabout Capes—Fine quality, in black only, at.....$4.75
$4.50 Marabout Stoles—Four and two strands, 3 and 2½ inches wide, best quality, black and natural, at.....$3.39

WOMEN'S NECKWEAR
(Winter Street Side)

Women's 75c to $1.00 Neckwear—Including a sample line of fancy stocks, Dutch collars, jabots, ruffs, tuckings, etc., in white and colors, at.....39c
12½c Embroidered Linen Collars—For navy blue serge dresses, in all the new dainty patterns in all sizes.....10c
75c to $1.00 Chiffon Veils—A varied assortment of new chiffon veils, in all the latest patterns, at.....39c
50c Neckwear—A big assortment, from the styles that are most popular, such as collars, ascots, tailored and fancy stocks, at.....25c
25c Sample Neckwear—All clean fresh merchandise in the most desirable for present use.....12½c
50c Phoenix and Bradley Mufflers—In white, at.....39c

UMBRELLAS
(Washington Street Side)

Men's and Women's 79c to $1.00 Umbrellas—Fancy and plain serviceable taffeta, both plain and fancy handles, 26c
$1.50 Silk Mixed Taffeta Umbrellas—26-inch size, tape edge cloth, case to match, fancy handles, in a big assortment of patterns, at.....98c
Women's $2.50 Pure Silk Umbrellas—26-inch size, 8 rod tassel, close roll on rain proof frame, best quality taffeta silk, in red, green and navy blue.....$1.98
Men's and Women's $5.00 to $6.50 Umbrellas—26-inch size, 8 rod tassel, close roll on rain proof frame, best quality taffeta silk, in red, green and navy blue.....$3.79
Men's and Women's $8.50 to $10.00 Umbrellas—26-inch size, 8 rod tassel, close roll on rain proof frame, best quality taffeta silk, in red, green and navy blue.....$4.79

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR
(Washington Street Side)

50c Corset Covers—Cross bar muslin, lace trimmed, sizes 34 to 44, at.....39c
75c Corset Covers—Fine nainsook, yoke, torchon lace trimmed, sizes 34 to 44, at.....49c
$1.00 Corset Covers—All over Swiss embroidery, back and front, at.....79c
$1.00 Muslin Combinations—Fine nainsook, lace and embroidery trimmed, corset cover style, at.....69c
$1.50 Muslin Combinations—Fine nainsook, yoke edged with heavy torchon lace, corset cover style, at.....98c
$1.25 Muslin Combinations—Embroidery trimmed, drawer or skirt styles, at.....89c
$2.50 Combinations—Elaborately trimmed, drawer or skirt styles, at.....$1.65
$1.50 Cheney's Skirts—Embroidery trimmed, with torchon lace, all sizes, at.....98c
$2.50 Cheney's Skirts—Fine nainsook, lace trimmed skirt, at.....$1.65
50c Drawers—Fine nainsook, trimmed, hemstitched and tucked ruffles, open or closed styles, at.....39c
50c Drawers—Trimmed with 2 lace insertions and lace edge, open or closed styles, at.....39c
$1.00 Drawers—Regular and extra sizes, lace and embroidery trimmed, at.....69c
69c Night Robes—Plain, tucked or lace and embroidery trimmed yokes, at.....49c
$1.00 Night Robes—Fine cross bar muslin, lace and embroidery trimmed, at.....69c
$1.50 Night Robes—Fine nainsook, embroidery trimmed, at.....98c
$1.50 Night Robes—Soft yoke and sleeves, of nainsook, embroidery trimmed, at.....$1.19
$2.50 Night Robes—Fine nainsook, trimmed with new styles of nainsook, embroidery and insertions.....$1.98
$1.25 Muslin Skirts—Embroidery and lace trimmed, at.....89c
$1.50 Muslin Skirts—Embroidery or lace trimmed at.....98c
$2.50 Muslin Skirts—Lace or embroidery trimmed at.....$1.49
$4.00 Muslin Skirts—Linen embroidery insertion, ribbon run, 18-inch embroidery flounce, at.....$2.79

RIBBONS
(Winter Street Side)

15c Taffeta Ribbons—Extra wide, all silk, for hair bows and millinery, in white and colors.....9c
11c Taffeta Ribbon—3 inches wide, same quality as above, at.....6c
19c Satin Taffeta Ribbon—Extra wide, good heavy quality, in white and colors, at.....12½c
5c Underwear Ribbon—Washable, in white, pink and blue, at.....3c
15c Children's Hair Bows—In satin and taffeta, in white and colors, at.....9c
45c Sash Ribbon—Combination of taffeta and satin stripe, in pink, blue and white, at.....29c
19c Hair Bow Taffeta—4 inches wide, in black and colors, at.....12½c
29c Satin Taffeta Ribbon—7 inches wide, in black and colors.....19c
10c to 19c Satin and Taffeta Ribbons—3 and 4 inches, good assortment of colors.....8c
25c Dresden Ribbon—5 inches wide, handsome floral designs, pink, lavender and yellow combinations.....19c

VELVETS
(Washington Street Side)

79c Panne Velvets—Preferred and staple shades, 36ins silk face, fast colors, 19 inches wide.....49c
$2.00 Black Velvet—27 inches wide, fast dye and deep rayon blue, rich quality of velvet.....$1.39
$1.50 Black Costume Velvet—22 inches wide, warp dye, rayon blue dye.....$1.39
69c Corduroy—Dress silk finish, fast dye, medium wale, popular street colors.....49c

HOME FURNISHINGS
(Washington Street Side)

$3.00 Book Cases—Eight shelves, made from hardwood, golden oak finish, in two sections, at.....$1.98
1½ Inch Cornice Stripe Grenadine—For curtains, in all colors.....9c
Plain 50c China Silk—Remnants for pillow tops and sash curtains.....19c
60c Flaxzed Drapery Silks—At.....39c
15c Curtain Muslin—36 inches wide, remarkably fine 1 to 3.....11c
25c Scotch Sash Nets—.....16c
$8.95 Double Couch Beds—Couch with mattress and pillows.....$4.98
30c Brass Curtain Rods—Strong, 36c to 72 inches, at.....19c
75c Curtain Rods—With ornaments, at.....49c
25c Flaxzed Cretonne—At.....16c
35c Flaxzed Cretonne—At.....19c
$2.98 Screen Frames—Good finish, at.....$1.49

PORTIERES AND COVERS
(Washington Street Side)

$2.50 Tapestry Table Covers—At.....$1.69
$3.00 Tapestry Table Covers—At.....$1.95
$7.50 Mercerized Tapestry Portieres—At.....$4.95
$10.00 Heavy Mercerized Portieres—At.....$6.98
$25.00 and $30.00 Reversible Portieres—In handsome floral designs, at.....$14.98
$7.50 Cotton Velour Portieres—In plain or novelty effects, at.....$4.98
$1.50 Curtain Muslin—Mercerized, 30 inches wide, at.....98c
$2.00 Tapestry Couch Covers—At.....$1.39
$2.50 Tapestry Couch Covers—At.....$1.75
$3.00 Tapestry Couch Covers—At.....$2.25
$5.00 Tapestry Couch Covers—At.....$3.00

FLOOR COVERINGS
(Washington Street Side)

$3.25 Axminster Rugs—30 inches wide and 60 inches long.....$1.98
$3.25 Royal Smyrna Rugs—Size 27x54 inches.....$1.98
$7.50 to $10.00 Hall Runners—In Axminster carpet, at.....$5.00
50c Yard Smyrna Door Mats—At.....39c
$1.25 Axminster Rugs—At.....89c
$2.50 Axminster Rugs—At.....$1.75
$4.50 Art Squares—Size 9x12 feet, at.....$2.98
$15.00 Seamless Brussels Rugs—Size 9x12 feet, at.....$9.98
50c Smyrna and Wool Rugs—Size 27x54 inches, at.....39c
$2.75 Body Brussels Rugs—Size 27x54 inches, at.....$1.98
$37.50 Royale Wilton Rugs—Size 9x12 feet, seamless.....$27.95
75c Tapestry Carpets—At.....49c
45c Dundee Stair Carpet, 27 inches wide, 2 yards to pattern.....29c

JEWELRY
(Winter Street Side)

$2.50 Mesh Bags—German silver fish scale bags, lined.....$1.69
$3.50 Mesh Bags—German silver fish scale bags with tiled set.....$1.95
25c Cuff Pins—Round tiled with warranted catches, at.....11c
$1.00 Collar Buttons—Gold filled, in gentlemen's set.....49c
$1.50 Watch Charms—Jobs.....98c
50c Knife, Fork and Spoon—Child's set, in case.....39c
50c Alarm Clock—Long alarm, fully guaranteed.....39c
$1.50 Fancy Comb Set—3 pieces, tiled, stone set.....98c

GLOVES
(Winter Street Side)

$1.00 Adler's Washable Chamois Gloves—Women's washable chamois gloves, imitation pearl buttons.....65c
$1.50 Women's Kid Gloves—Overseam, French kid gloves, Paris point embroidery, in assorted colors.....98c
$2.00 Kid Gloves—16-button length kid gloves, in black and white, in a full range of sizes.....$1.39
$1.50 Kid Gloves—16-button length kid gloves, in black and white, in a full range of sizes.....98c
Gloves—Medium weight, Paris point embroidery, in assorted colors.....49c
$1.75 Women's Kid Gloves—Length, 2 clasps, Trefousse, in black, white and colors, at.....$1.19
$1.00 Girls' Kid Gloves—Overseam, sewn, white, tan and brown, small sizes only.....69c

FOOTWEAR
(Hamilton Place Annex)

$4.00 Women's Shoes—We have received from the manufacturer of our regular $4.00 shoe, the remaining broken lots of vici kid and gun metal leathers.....2.95
$3.00 and $3.50 Shoes—Comprising over 900 pairs of sample shoes and broken sized lots from our own stock, all perfect, in styles to choose from, all popular leathers and styles for women and growing girls, ages reasonably from 1 to 7.....1.77
25c Lambs Wool Soles—In white and black, in well known make.....19c
$3.00 Patent Leather Shoes—Misses' and girls' snake strap party and dancing shoes, in all sizes, 11 to 2.....1.14
$2.50 to $3.25 Children's Romper Laced Shoes—Heavy wool jersey, full length, in all sizes.....1.49
$1.50 Boys' Sunday Slippers—Made of brown duck, heavy boxed, mahogany stain with heavy turn soles. Little boys' sizes, 9 to 13½.....95c
$3.00 to $3.50 Men's Romeo Slippers—In pleasing variety of leathers and styles.....1.98
Men's Storm Rubbers—All sizes, low cut, low toes, made from vici kid leather with heavy storm soles, sizes up to 10.....85c
$2.00 Misses' Shoes—Sizes 12 up.....1.49

WINDOW DRAPERIES
(Washington Street Side)

25c Pair Sash Curtains—Of dotted muslin.....12½c
$5.00 Irish Point Lace Curtains—At.....$3.25
$6.50 Irish Point Lace Curtains—At.....$4.19
$7.50 Irish Point Lace Curtains—At.....$4.98
$7.50 Lace Curtains—Handsome lace effects, real designs, at.....$4.98
$3.50 Brussels Lace Curtains—At.....$2.50
Wide edge and insertion on cable net, at.....$4.98
$10.00 Renaissance Lace Curtains—Heavy cable net design, at.....$6.98
$15.00 Arabian Lace Curtains—Heavy cable design, at.....$9.98
DEVENPORT ARABIAN CURTAINS—Regular price $2.00, at.....$3.98
Regular price $3.00, at.....$1.98
$1.00 Novelty Scrim Curtains—With dotted edge, at.....69c
SCOTCH LACE CURTAINS—Brussels effects, at.....69c
RUFFLED MUSLIN CURTAINS—Regular price 50c, at.....39c
$1.50 Dotted Muslin Curtains—Ruffled, at.....98c
Muslin Curtains—At.....49c
$1.50 Muslin Curtains.....98c
SWISS LACE CURTAINS—Regular price $3.00, at.....$1.39
Regular price $2.50, at.....$1.19
BONNYBRAE DRAPERY NOVELTIES—In all the new designs, at.....$1.98
Regular price $3.00, at.....$1.98
Regular price $4.00, at.....$2.49

KNIT UNDERWEAR
(Washington Street Side)

Women's Union Suits—Low neck, sleeveless, knee length, perfect glove fitting regular 50c.....39c
3 Suits in a Box—.....$1.00
Women's Union Suits—Light weight, low neck, sleeveless, ankle length, all sizes.....69c
Women's 50c Jersey Vests—Medium weight, bleached white, neatly finished, pants to match, at.....39c
Women's 50c Jersey Vests—Summer weight, low neck, sleeveless, ankle length, fine quality, at.....39c
Women's 50c Jersey Pants—Medium weight, ankle length, fine quality, at.....39c
Women's Union Suits—Fine quality, at.....50c

MEN'S FURNISHINGS
(Washington Street Side)

Men's 25c Handkerchiefs—Pure linen, hemstitched with mercerized lines, fine quality, at.....12½c
Men's $1.25 Union Suits—Ankle length, fine quality, medium weight, at.....89c
Men's 50c Shirts and Drawers—Medium weight, ribbed, fine quality, at.....39c
Men's 25c Cashmere Hair Hose—Soft, durable quality, black and oxford gray, at.....19c
Men's $1.00 Negligee Shirts—Neat patterns, in percales and madras, at.....69c
Men's 50c Negligee Shirts—Good assortment of patterns, at.....39c

APRONS
(Hamilton Place Annex)

29c Mother Hubbard Aprons—Of percale, in light and dark colors.....19c
25c Skirt Aprons—Of gingham and percale.....19c
39c Princess Coverall Aprons—Of percale.....29c
25c and 50c Round Yoke Aprons—Lace and hemming trimmed.....19c

BED FURNISHINGS
(Washington Street Side)

$6.00 Wool Blankets—Fine white California finished wool blankets, pink or blue borders, at.....$4.98
$8.00 Wool Blankets—Guaranteed all wool, fine white, at.....$4.98
$2.00 Blankets—Extra size 72x84 inches, in white, red or gray.....1.49
$2.00 Comforters—Fine silkoline covers, figured both sides, at.....$1.49
Per Yard Sheeting—Unbleached Atlantic, 2 yards wide, 45 inches wide, either bleached or unbleached, at.....32c
Pillow Shams—Embroidered, hemstitched, at.....39c
Scarfs—Embroidered scarfs, size 18x36 at.....39c

TABLE LINENS
(Washington Street Side)

$3.00 Per Dozen Table Napkins—All linen Irish damask napkins, size 22x22, at.....$2.25
$2.50 Per Dozen Table Napkins—All linen satin damask napkins, size 22x22, at.....$1.98
$2.75 Table Cloths—Scalloped edge damask table cloth, size 58x58 inches, at.....$1.98
$3.50 Table Cloths—Scalloped edge damask table cloth, size 60x60 inches, at.....$2.49
$1.00 Per Yard Table Damask—Half bleached table damask, 64 inches wide, at.....79c
79c Per Yard Table Damask—Unbleached table damask, 66 inches wide, at.....59c

DOMESTICS
(Washington Street Side)

25c Turkish Towels—Bleached Turkish towels, warm and heavy, at.....19c
5c Wash Cloths—Bleached Turkish, 50c dozen, at.....3c
39c Bleached Sheets—Made from 9-4 width sheeting, size 2½x3½, no centre seam, at.....29c

WASH GOODS
(Washington Street Side)

10c Mercerized Poplin—Plain colors, at.....6c
25c Piqua Cloth—Mixed jac mercerized piqua cloth, in all the wanted colors, at.....19c
10c Outing Flannels—Mill remnants, ranging from 2 to 10 yard lengths, in a big assortment of stripes and checks in pink and blue patterns, at.....6c
10c Nurses' Stripe Ginghams—Blue and white and 4 shade stripe ginghams, at.....7½c

SOFA PILLOWS AND TOPS
(Hamilton Place Annex)

Royale Pillows Pillows—
20c 18-inch.....15c
25c 20-inch.....19c
30c 22-inch.....23c
35c 24-inch.....25c
39c Sofa Pillows—Washable linen tops, hand embroidered, in a variety of floral and conventional designs, with down proof ticking back and 20-inch Royale silk pillow, in pink, blue, green, lavender and gray.....29c
$2.25 Sofa Pillows—Imported tapestry tops, in handsome floral designs, in rich colorings, silk loops, art ticking back, 20-inch Royale silk pillow, in pink, blue, green, lavender and gray.....$1.69
$2.00 Sofa Pillows—Imported tapestry tops, in handsome floral designs, in rich colorings, silk loops, art ticking back, 20-inch Royale silk pillow, in pink, blue, green, lavender and gray.....$1.49
Satin Pillow Tops—Assorted handsome floral designs.....39c
Burlap Pillow Slips—In red, green and brown.....37c

TRIMMINGS, ETC.
(Washington Street Side)

20c Colored Tinsel Gulmps.....8c
25c Gilt and Silver Gulmps.....12½c
25c Gilt and Silver Bands.....12½c
50c Gilt and Silver Bands.....25c
25c dozen yards Gilt Cords.....12½c
5c Fancy Buttons, 3 to 12 lignes.....2c
25c Fancy Colored Beltings.....12½c
10c Dress Shields—Boyle brand, perfect, fancy colors, at.....6c
10c Corset Covers—Fine cambric, at.....6c
25c and 50c Fancy Buttons.....19c

HAMBURG EMBROIDERIES
(Hamilton Place Annex)

25c Dress Flouncings—18 inch, of fine nainsook, in pretty floral patterns.....12½c
25c Corset Cover Embroideries—18 inch, with ribbon stitching over spider web.....12½c
10c Corset Cover Embroideries—Edges, 10 inches wide, at.....5c
Cambric Edges and Insertions—Matched sets in narrow widths.....12½c
15c and 19c Bands and Beading—At.....10c
19c Convent Embroidery, 2 inches wide.....12½c

RENAISSANCE
(Hamilton Place Annex)

Renaissance Dress Flouncings—18 inches wide, in new floral effects, at.....12½c
Renaissance Dress Flouncings—18 inches wide, in new floral effects, at.....42c
Renaissance Dress Flouncings—Medium and coarse effects, at.....
Renaissance Collars, regular price 25c, at.....16c
Renaissance Collars, regular price 39c, at.....25c
24 inch, regular price 59c, at.....42c
Renaissance Medallions, Medici designs centers, regular price 25c, at.....16c
Renaissance Medallions, Medici designs, 24 inch, regular price 59c, at.....42c
Renaissance Scarfs, 3 diamond designs, at.....
$1.50 Battenberg Scarfs, 3 diamond designs, at.....$1.19
Centre Pieces, round styles, German effects, at.....
Centre Pieces, round styles, German effects, embroidery, at.....37½c
Renaissance Bands, 3 inch, regular price 19c, at.....12½c
24 inch, regular price 50c, at.....37½c
Renaissance Bands, 4 inch, regular price 25c, at.....19c
50c Scarfs and Centres—Linen, 3 yards drawn thread centre, at.....39c

ART EMBROIDERY
(Hamilton Place Annex)

50c Stamped Hand Bags—Linen finish, in new designs.....39c
$1.50 Stamped Waist Patterns—.....98c
25c Stamped Doilies—.....12½c
25c Stamped Belt Leather—.....12½c
35c Stamped Doilies, Mexican designs.....19c
Centres, regular price 25c, at.....16c
24 inch, regular price 39c, at.....25c
Mexican Centre Scarfs, 3 diamond designs, at.....
$1.50 Battenberg Scarfs, 3 diamond designs, at.....$1.19
Centre Pieces, round styles, German effects, at.....
Centre Pieces, round styles, German effects, embroidery, at.....37½c
Renaissance Bands, 3 inch, regular price 19c, at.....12½c
24 inch, regular price 50c, at.....37½c
Renaissance Bands, 4 inch, regular price 25c, at.....19c
50c Scarfs and Centres—Linen, 3 yards drawn thread centre, at.....39c

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$1.50 Stamped Waist Patterns—.....98c
25c Stamped Belt Leather—.....12½c
35c Stamped Doilies, Mexican designs.....19c
25c Colored Cornation Braid—.....16c
BROWN CASTILE PURSES, STAMPED FOR EMBROIDERY—.....29c
25-inch—Regular price $1.25, at.....89c
27-inch—Regular price $1.50, at.....$1.19
The Black Flowers, a new shape.....
The Black Flowers, a new shape.....
Stamped Pillow Tops—Assorted centre, stamped and 2 pieces of corresponding.....
50c Combination—24-inch brown, linen finish, stamped and 2 pieces of corresponding.....39c
Stamped Pillow Tops—Assorted and tinted.....19c

PYROGRAPHY
(Winter Street Side)

50c Tabouretts—Stamped in new designs.....39c
25c Hand Mirrors—At.....17c
$1.50 Pyrography Outfit—Fully guaranteed, at.....89c

CORSETS
(Washington Street Side)

$1.00 Corsets—R. & G. and Gilco corsets, in all the wanted models, at.....69c
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$2.50 Corsets—American Lady and Warner corsets, beautiful new models of fine coutil, at.....$1.49

STATIONERY
(Hamilton Place Annex)

15c Crepe Paper Napkins—At.....100 for 9c
45c Visiting Cards—50 cards engraved from your plate, at.....29c
$1.00 Fountain Pens—Gilchrist's Blue Ribbon Day special, at.....69c
$2.50 Fountain Pens—Diamond point, at.....$1.49
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WATCH THIS DEMOCRAT!

Smoked out! Newton and McCullough are Democrats! They took themselves out of the Lodge columns yesterday and left McInerney to flock by himself. It was a good day's work. Now, what will McInerney do? Is he still for Lodge? And why? He looks very lonesome in to-day's picture, with the eyes of the whole State upon him!

REP. JAS. H. McINERNEY

REFEREE FOR LAUTERBACHS

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Edward S. Clinch has been appointed referee by Supreme Court Justice Page to hear the testimony in the action for absolute divorce that Mrs. Amanda Friedman Lauterbach has brought against Edward Lauterbach, the lawyer.

The complaint which Mrs. Lauterbach has served, charging her husband with misconduct in New York, names an unidentified woman. Mr. Lauterbach has served an answer, denying the charges. The referee will try the case in secret.

$25,000 AWARD IN BROWN CASE

An award of $25,000 was given to-day by a jury in the Superior Court to Stuart L. Brown. He sued for $1,228,000. The defendant is Joseph Fairbait, executor of the estate of the late John Burnham Brown, a Salem millionaire.

The case was on trial for almost a week. Mr. Brown sued to recover on a contract, which he made with John Burnham Brown to purchase certain bonds and shares of stock of the New York Broadway Malden Lane Building Company.

He claims that the death of John Burnham Brown prevented the carrying out of the contract of July, 1908, which he alleges would have given the plaintiff control of the eighteen-story office building at Broadway and Malden lane, New York. That building is valuable, and his control, had his contract gone through, would have been subject to a first mortgage of $1,500,000, held by a New York insurance company.

An appeal will probably be taken.

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WHIPPLE AFTER LODGE ON PRICES

Sherman L. Whipple, the Democratic candidate for the Senate in opposition to Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, got after Mr. Lodge in a statement issued to-day on the Senator's attitude regarding the high prices of food. Mr. Whipple's statement follows:

The principal issue in the recent State campaign was the cause of the prevailing high prices of food and other necessities of life.

The Democrats claimed that the prices were artificially maintained by trusts and combinations. This Senator Lodge repeatedly denied in his speeches. He asserted that these prices were the result of the natural laws of demand and supply, that similar high prices prevailed throughout the world, and that trusts and combinations were in no way responsible therefor.

Yesterday morning all the daily papers announced from Chicago that millions of pounds of butter, eggs, cheese and poultry had been held in storage warehouses for months, and were to be thrown upon the market; that it was not possible longer to sustain the artificial prices which had been so long maintained. This morning there are intimations that the same thing is true in relation to beef and pork products, and that prices which have been artificially maintained are to go lower.

Artificial Prices Slump.

It is thus demonstrated that the contention of the Democrats in the last campaign was correct, and that Senator Lodge was absolutely wrong in his statements. It now appears that while he was asserting from one end of the Commonwealth to the other that the prevailing high prices of food were not artificially maintained by combinations and trusts, these millions of pounds of food products were in cold storage in Chicago, while the trusts, which had engineered the corner, were subjecting the people to exactions in prices which must have brought to them millions in profits.

Lodge Statements Refuted.

It is a dramatic coincidence indeed that upon the day of his nomination for re-election to the Senate it is absolutely demonstrated that Senator Lodge's political utterances upon the public platforms in the last campaign are discredited, and his political sagacity at fault.

Mr. Lodge repeatedly denied that high prices of the people's food were artificially maintained. It is now clear that he was utterly wrong. While he was defending and exonerating trusts they were plundering the people by their exactions.

Does not this situation call for an explanation on the part of Senator Lodge? Are the Republican legislators of Massachusetts ready to vote for him without an explanation? The ties of party loyalty are strong, and properly so in a government of parties, but the members of the Legislature of Massachusetts are elected for their wisdom and intelligence, and recognize a duty above that of partisanship, a duty first and foremost to protect the interests of the people.

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60c Value Elsewhere **Teas** Our Price Per Lb. 35c
35c Elsewhere **Coffee** Our Price Per Lb. 25c
"Golden Rose" 35c value lb. 26c
Catsup Van Camp's Full Pure Tomato Pt. 17c
Corn, Peas Standard Low Grades Can 9c
MOLASSES New Orleans Gl. Gal. Open Kettle 1 lb Can 53c
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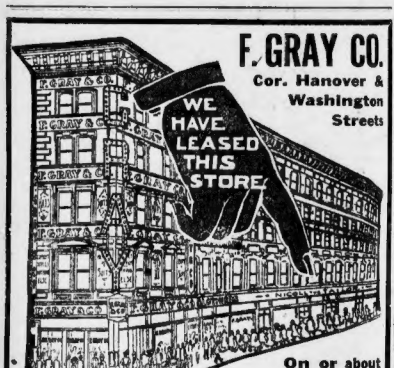

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NEW ARMY BILL TO OUST HAINS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—If a bill that was passed by the House is concurred in by the Senate and approved by the President, the name of Captain Peter Hains, who is serving a term at Sing Sing for the murder of William E. Annis at the Bay Side Yacht Club, Long Island, in August, 1908, will be dropped from the rolls of the United States Army.

The bill was presented as a result of the discovery, following the conviction of Hains, that there is no authority in law to deal summarily with army officers who are separated from the service by offenses that result in their imprisonment. The bill authorizes the Secretary of War to drop from the rolls the names of officers who have been convicted in a competent court, or who for any reason are absent without official leave for a period exceeding three months.

HEWITT TRIED FOR 2 ATTACKS

Thomas P. Hewitt, an Everett patrolman, now under suspension, was placed on trial to-day before Judge White in the Superior Court at East Cambridge, on the charge of attacking his wife and his father-in-law, Lewis N. Taft of Everett, on May 1, 1910. Attorneys for the accused man told the court that the plaintiffs had been satisfied and asked that the case be dropped. The case was ordered to go on, however, as Hewitt was a patrolman in good standing when the assaults were committed.

In the Malden Court Hewitt was given six months in the House of Correction on the charge of attacking his wife and fined $20 on the other charge. It was alleged Hewitt knocked Taft down and point d a revolver at his father-in-law. Mrs. Hewitt and her cousin, Miss Susie Taft, it was testified, grappled with the policeman, and in the scuffle the revolver was fired, missing Taft by a foot.

MAY RULE BAY OF FUNDY CLOSED WATER

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 17.—The Department of Justice is considering the legal phases of declaring the Bay of Fundy closed Canadian waters for the purpose of regulating fishing by steam trawlers from the United States and other countries.

BIG SHOWING OF MOTOR TRUCKS

By J. C. KERRISON.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—In striking contrast to the pleasure vehicle show of last week is the commercial truck show which was inaugurated in Madison Square Garden last evening. A week ago, the main point considered, outside of efficiency, was appointment and finish, the question of luxuriousness being given particular attention. In this exhibit, however, that has been lost sight of in the effort to produce and exhibit vehicles that have a vital commercial value. But little thought or consideration has been given to the finishing of the cars, the main thing being to produce what is known as thoroughly efficient and capable trucks.

The buyers of motor vehicles care not for luxuriousness; they are forgotten and overlooked in the question of necessity. The buyers of a freight vehicle figures on one thing, that is economy of operation and rapidity of delivery. This, of course, in the taxi-cabs shown, there is a design and finish which will interest those still looking for a hard-headed business proposition.

The exhibit here is one of the most complete that has ever been seen in this or other country, including no less than 60 models and sizes from the little Brush delivery car of 600 pounds capacity up to the Hewitt ten-ton truck, able to take two carloads of coal of the size quite commonly used by some of the railroads less than ten years ago.

Much to Interest Women.

Touches of modern design and finish will interest the ladies, as will also the sightseeing autos and omnibuses from the ten and twenty-passenger Macks down to the seven-passenger Adams, the five-passenger Autocar and Thomas, the four-passenger Autocar and Thomas, the four with the many and varied body designs large and small, open and closed, most of which are used to carry milady's purchases to her home. There would seem to be no reason why the women should not find the freight vehicle show nearly as interesting as the passenger vehicle one.

The various bodies must be seen to be appreciated. Descriptions do not convey the various and beautiful designs to be found in many of the lighter deliveries. The motor fire engine has come in for often this year, and some fine work is to be seen on these. The horse-drawn truck often has a hoist or other labor-saving device as part of its equipment, but the man must do the work in most instances. With power always at hand, the auto truck can lift itself to dump the load of coal or can drive the derrick that hoists the load on and off.

In this great aggregation of trucks, which is now attracting much attention in the house, are several new products which are making their debuts in the motor world. One of these is the new three-ton gear Arrow truck, manufactured by the George N. Pierce Company in Buffalo and handled in Boston by the J. W. Maguire Company. This truck gives one an idea of power and reliability; speed that is excessive speed, being a secondary consideration. All the well-known Pierce characteristics are retained in the motor of this truck, the body of course, being vastly different to anything that the Pierce people have previously produced. Still, it is noticeable that in the matter of body there is ample room for load, and this question has received as great a consideration from the Pierce plant as any one matter. The engine has been tested most thoroughly and it has been found absolutely capable of pulling even a much greater than the rated load.

New Peerless Trucks.

Another new truck is that of the Peerless Company, which company has for several years been experimenting in this line. Its engineering department has carefully followed the development of motor trucks in the European countries, where this class of vehicles has been in general use for a longer period than in America. The chassis are here, one with a carrying capacity of three tons and another of four tons, on which bodies designed to meet the needs of the purchaser may be placed. The motor is of long stroke, with an A. L. A. M. rating of 35-horsepower, is very efficient and economical and will drive either truck with full load at a speed of fifteen miles an hour. The change speed mechanism is of the sliding gear selective type, with four speeds forward and one reverse. The final drive to the rear wheels is transmitted through the shaft and side chains. The rear wheels are unusually large, on which are mounted dual tires.

The latest of the Cleveland products is the Stearns truck which is handled in Boston by F. H. McAlman. This truck continues all the well-known Stearns characteristics and it is no sense a conventional pleasure car. From start to finish it has been designed and built to meet the demand for a heavy draught motor driven commercial vehicle. Rated at three to five tons the trucks are daily carrying heavy overloads.

The Knox Five.

Aside from the capacity, the Stearns truck is distinctly different from other commercial vehicles in that all the parts of the operating mechanism, including the special truck power plant, clutch, transmission, etc., are carried on a sub-frame suspended from the main frame by semi-elliptic springs in front and a pivoted connection in the rear.

A large line of high-class commercial vehicles is manufactured in Springfield by the Knox Automobile Company, and are handled in Boston by the Underhill Company. They have been making commercial vehicles for ten years and have worked out the details of their cars from hard, practical experience and constructed them upon sound engineering principles.

They have developed a line of commercial vehicles to meet the needs for all sizes of wagons, trucks, omnibuses, ambulances, patrol wagons, trolley service wagons, sightseeing vehicles and motor driven fire apparatus. This covers practically the entire field of commercial work outside of taxicabs and light delivery wagons.

BARRY MAY FACE COURT MARTIAL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Investigation of the charges against Admiral Barry, affecting his moral character and which resulted in his being driven in disgrace from the Navy, may result in an order for a court martial. This is the report here to-day following the announcement that Secretary of the Navy Meyer has sent to the Pacific fleet at San Francisco for a full report on all the circumstances leading to the Admiral's retirement. The report is expected from Rear Admiral Thomas, who has succeeded Admiral Barry as commander-in-chief of the Pacific fleet.

Upon this report rests the decision of the Navy Department whether there shall be any proceedings against Barry. In case the department decides upon a court martial it will be the first time in the history of the Navy that an officer has been tried under the same conditions, though many sailors have suffered conviction. An officer convicted in such a case would be liable to imprisonment for not more than fifteen years and expulsion from the naval service, cutting off all retired pay. Voluntary retirement would not shield an officer in case of conviction by court martial.

The Navy Department issued the order retiring Admiral Barry on Saturday, and ordered him by telegraph.

This action was taken before the publication of the allegations that officers of the battleship West Virginia contemplated charges against the Admiral reflecting upon his moral character. It was then stated at the Navy Department that no charges had been filed here against Admiral Barry and that all that was known officially in regard to his retirement was that he desired to avail himself of the privilege granted by law to voluntarily retire after forty years' active service.

The story of Admiral Barry's departure from the fleet, received here, says that after orders detaching him from the fleet had arrived, instead of immediately going ashore as has been customary, Barry retired to his cabin, where he remained until after nightfall. While waiting for darkness to cover his departure, he made an emphatic denial of the charges against him. He expects to go to New York to live.

PREACHERS TIRE OF ASKING FOR MONEY

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 12.—The preachers of Atlanta to-day adopted a resolution not to ask their congregations to give money this year. The resolution reads: "Whereas the preachers of Atlanta have been brought to be largely tax collectors, spending their time running down people to get money out of them; and, whereas this is getting to be such a burden as to be detrimental to the main work of the ministry, that of saving souls: Resolved, that we, the preachers of Atlanta, pledge ourselves that for the year 1911 we will not take upon ourselves the collection of money from our congregations."

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The taxi was driven by Cornelius Handrahan and the touring car by its owner, George P. Aborn, a foreman in the employ of the Blake Pump Works at East Cambridge. In the car at the time with him was E. J. Taylor, of No. 55 Berry street, Jamaica Plain. There was no one but the driver in the taxi.

The touring car was going toward East Cambridge and the taxi was coming toward Boston. Near the centre of the bridge they started dodging each other. Each car was traveling on the car tracks. The touring car was wrecked, and the chassis, radiator, front axle and head lights of the taxi were broken. Street car traffic over the bridge was tied up for fifteen minutes.

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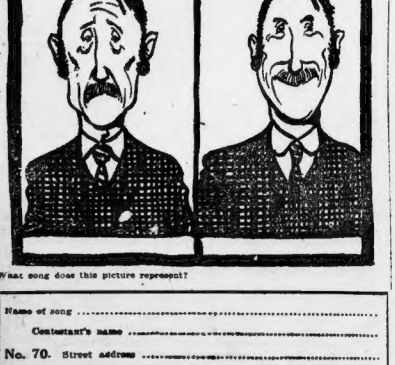

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"The Girl of he Golden West," the famous play by David Belasco, which has been transformed into a grand opera by Puccini, composer of "La Boheme," "Tosca," "Manon Lescaut" and "Madame Butterfly," will be performed for the first time in Boston to-night.

All the resources of the Boston Opera have been called upon to cast, mount and produce this great work. It has been in rehearsal for several months, and no opera ever given in Boston has been so carefully prepared for production.

Wonderful Settings.

The stage settings are exactly like those used at the Metropolitan Opera when the opera was first sung there a month ago. The dramatic side of the Boston production has been approved by David Belasco who witnessed several rehearsals at the Opera House while the music has been superintended by Tito Ricordi, head of the famous Italian publishing house which owns the opera.

Amado Conti, the musical director, has worked early and late to train his singers and chorus, so they can properly render the strange, virile music which has woven around the incidents in the Rocky Mountains.

The story of "The Girl" is familiar to Americans. It is the tale of the love of a mountain girl for Johnson, a miner, a love which is only strengthened when she learns he is unworthy, an outlaw and brigand. The action is sensational. There is a poker game with human lives as stakes, and a lynching scene remarkable for realism.

Florenzi Constantino has been selected to create the part of Johnson in Boston. The Spanish tenor has never studied so hard to perfect himself in a role.

Carmen Melis, the dramatic soprano of the company, will sing Minnie, the heroine, a part for which her voice is peculiarly suited. Carlo Galeffi, the Italian baritone, will sing the great baritone role of Jack Rance, the sheriff. Elvira Leverani, Mardones, Formari, Blanchart, Tavecchio have important roles.

TRAVIATA SUNG AT OPERA HOUSE BY A NOTABLE CAST

"Traviata" was sung at the Boston Opera last night by a notable cast. It was the first performance of the ancient opera upon a subscription night, but the work was magnificently sung at a popular performance two weeks ago by Nelsen, Constantino and Galeffi.

It was a remarkable demonstration of the resources of the company that last night's principals were Lipkowska, Jadlowker and Amato, an entirely different cast from the previous performance.

"Traviata" is an old fashioned opera. It was frankly composed to exploit the voice and was offered to a public which asked nothing but rich and copious melody

Once Condemned.

Its action is slight and its movement stiff and unnatural. It is hard to believe that it was once condemned by righteous Londoners as immoral. Of course the libretto informs us that the chief persons of the opera led irregular lives, but there is nothing in the opera to indicate it.

Compare the gentle dignity of the four acts of "Traviata" with the terrible second act of "Tosca." What must be thought of an opera which contains such scenes as that between Scarpia and Tosca, a scene which terminates by the slaughter of Scarpia.

At the popular performance of "Tosca," Saturday night the nerve-taxed audience burst into wild applause when Tosca hurled a glittering knife in the stomach of Scarpia. A work which persuades people to condone a murder is really immoral.

When Alfred Imaie named as Violetta in "Traviata," the scene may be said to verge upon the improper, but Violetta saves the situation by refusing to pick it up.

Lydia Lipkowska, since the retirement of Tetrazzini from opera the principal coloratura soprano in the country, and is recognized as such in New York and Chicago, although those critics do not yet admit that she is a second Sembrich.

Lipkowska's Advantage.

She has the advantage of youth, beauty and personal magnetism, and a voice which is always sweet, flexible and mobile, and she is making daily progress in her art. Her Violetta is full of charm. Her scene is convincing and her death scene truly pathetic. She is so slight that her delicate frame consumption does not seem improbable, though in real life she is extremely healthy.

Pasquale Amato is one of the greatest baritones on the stage. It seemed too bad to bring him from New York to sing Georgio Dumont, a role which can be sung incredibly by a very different baritone. Amato is worthy of greater things, but since he had to sing last night he sang superbly.

Hermann Jadlowker is a versatile tenor and excellent actor. He can sing dramatic roles admirably and is satisfactory in purely lyric parts. It must be admitted that his voice lacks the beauty and velvet qualities of a true lyric tenor, qualities which are particularly essential to the music of Alfred Germont.

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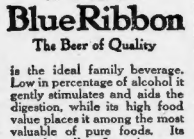

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NO COMPROMISE IN EDDY FIGHT

CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 17.—"I'll see them in some other climate before ever agreeing to give them a dollar. Either the sons will get everything or they will not get a dollar—there will be no half-way business," says General Henry M. Baker, executor of the will of Mary Baker Eddy, in regard to the prospective conflict over the $2,000,000 which Mrs. Eddy left the Christian Science Church.

The will is being proved to-day and the procedure is limited to mere formality. The real fight will open next month when hearings will be given on the sons' two separate petitions, attacking the validity of the big bequest to the church. General Baker promises a "fight to the finish."

According to the sons, the statutes of Massachusetts and New Hampshire prohibit the Christian Science Church from receiving such a big bequest.

BIG CLOTHING FIRM ENLARGES QUARTERS

The big clothing store of the F. Gray Company on Washington street, is to be enlarged by occupancy of the premises long tenanted by Nicoll the Tailor. More than 25,000 square feet of additional floor space will be made available for demonstration and the sale of overcoats, suits and other wearing apparel carried by this well-known firm. Its store already occupies the entire block at Washington, Hanover and Friend streets. The firm's great increase in business is due in a large measure to the popularity of the Pablo overcoat, regarded by many Bostonians as the king of storm coats. This overcoat has proved itself adaptable to all kinds of wear, is stylish and looks as good when the season passes as it did when it was brand new. Alterations, which will be necessary and incidental to taking over of the Nicoll store, will compel the F. Gray Company to close its doors for a time, but before doing this it will have a big clothing sale in which the entire stock will be offered at slaughter prices.

SHIPWRECK REPORT SENT TO CAPITAL

PROVINCETOWN, Jan. 17.—A complete report founded on the testimony taken yesterday at the investigation of the Peaked Hill Bar tragedy, when three barges were wrecked and seventeen men lost their lives, was forwarded to Washington to-day. The investigation was held yesterday by Lieutenant Satterlee, inspector of life saving districts. All of the members of the life saving crews concerned in the tragedy testified before him. The hearing was public and was the first of its kind ever held.

ALDRICH PLANS CENTRAL BANK

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Complete currency reform readjustment of banking conditions and the establishment of a great central bank with $200,000,000 capital is the much heralded Aldrich plan for monetary legislation on which the National Banking Commission has been working for a year. It was taken under consideration for final action to-day by the commission, and when adopted will be submitted to Congress. The plan provides for complete revision of national banking legislation. Changes are suggested in the national banking act, which Senator Aldrich says will make it responsive to the demands of modern business.

"Our present banking system," says Senator Aldrich, "which was adopted nearly half a century ago, fails completely under stress and has been found inadequate. The present law is obsolete. One of the principal needs is to find some method for unification of our banking institutions into one comprehensive system."

The principal part of the plan to reform the banking system of the country, as suggested by the Aldrich plan, is the formation of a central bank called the Reserve Association of America.

It is proposed to charter the bank, which would be the principal fiscal agent of the government of the United States, with authorized capital of $200,000,000; the length of its charter to be fifty years.

All subscribing banks would be formed into associations of national banks, to be designated as local associations.

DENY BRYCE IS TO QUIT WASHINGTON POST

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Rumors current in London that Ambassador Bryce intended to resign as ambassador to the United States are denied at the British embassy here. Ambassador Bryce was asked about rumors of his resignation and replied that he had much work yet to accomplish in the United States and did not contemplate leaving this post.

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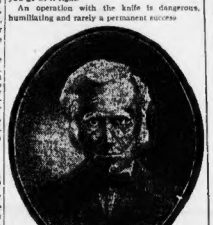

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All druggists, 50 cents. Write today for a free package.

'JACK' BARRY IS NOW A BENEDICT

BRIDE OF FAST SHORTSTOP.

MARGARET McDONOUGH

WORCESTER, Jan. 17.—"Jack" Barry, shortstop on the Philadelphia American League baseball team, was married here today to Miss Margaret Frances McDonough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McDonough of No. 1, View street.

The wedding took place in Sacred Heart Church. Many friends and relatives of the couple were present. Mr. and Mrs. Barry will take a honeymoon trip. Barry's baseball plans for the coming season have not been announced as yet.

Barry met Miss McDonough here years ago when he was attending Holy Cross. He was on the college baseball team, and acquitted himself so splendidly that Miss McDonough was attracted to him. When Barry played in the world's series between Chicago and Philadelphia last Fall the girl went to Philadelphia to spur him on to his best efforts, and after the series their engagement was announced.

THREE KILLED BY TRAIN.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., Jan. 17.—Three miners were killed by a train of the Philadelphia & Reading railroad this morning on a bridge near Mount Carmel to-day.

LIPPITT FORCES CLAIM VICTORY

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 17.—Supporters of Colonel Henry F. Lippitt, Senator Aldrich's candidate for United States Senator, maintain that there are just enough members-elect now to make certain his election to-day. Workers for Judge Colt, Independent Republican, are working hard to tie up the contest in a deadlock.

Lippitt is nonPlussed in the Senate by Senator Philip H. Wetmore, and in the House by Representative Ambrose Kennedy.

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SIXTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT

To the Policy-Holders:

Nineteen hundred ten was a year of well-balanced substantial progress. Nineteen hundred nine was a satisfactory year. A comparison of important items for the two years is significant.

	1909	1910
Income—exclusive of adjustment in book value of assets	$104,150,213.96	$107,546,058.71
Death-claims	23,017,708.20	23,726,134.53
Other payments to policy-holders	28,972,513.18	29,838,308.61
Dividends declared	8,844,108.89	9,110,616.37
Average interest rate on bond purchases of the year	4.13 %	4.15 %
Average interest rate on real estate mortgages of the year	4.63 %	4.88 %
Average interest rate on Domestic bonds	4.19 %	4.20 %
Average interest rate on Foreign bonds	4.04 %	4.08 %
Average interest rate on real estate mortgages	4.66 %	4.72 %
Average interest rate on real estate owned	4.49 %	4.70 %
Interest rate earned by real estate owned	404,658,586.64	413,530,908.58
Book value of bonds	69,748,270.53	92,523,123.00
Amount of real estate mortgages	94,643,472.81	104,316,910.37
Amount Loaned to policy-holders	146,042,400.00	157,162,000.00
New business of the year	2,002,809,227.00	2,039,863,031.00
Total outstanding insurance		

Perhaps the most significant fact, showing the substantial progress of the Company, is that the average earning power of total assets on January 1, 1911, had so advanced over what it was five years earlier, as to represent an annual addition to net income of nearly $1,100,000.

A booklet showing details in addition to the Income and Disbursement Account and Balance Sheet annexed will be sent on request.

Darwin P. Kingsley
President.

Balance Sheet, January 1, 1911

ASSETS	
Real Estate	$11,554,601.09
Loans on Mortgages	92,523,123.00
Collateral Loans	200,000.00
Loans on Policies	104,316,910.37
Bonds (market value Dec. 31, 1910)	405,681,304.21
Cash	9,009,526.78
Premiums in course of collection, Interest and rents due and accrued	7,317,558.67
	7,273,543.02
Total	$637,876,567.14

LIABILITIES	
Policy Reserve	$528,222,129.00
Other Policy Liabilities	7,222,025.20
Premiums and Interest prepaid	3,087,224.49
Commissions, Salaries, etc.	1,063,364.78
Dividends payable in 1911	9,110,616.37
Reserve for Deferred Dividends,	77,545,164.00
Reserves for other purposes	11,626,043.30
Total	$637,876,567.14

INCOME, 1910	
Premiums:	
On New Policies	$6,516,105.78
On Renewed Policies	72,324,931.70
Annuities, etc.	1,512,373.90
	$80,353,411.38
Real Estate Rentals	918,173.83
Interest on Mortgages	3,481,947.10
Interest on Policy Loans	5,218,630.98
Interest on Bonds	16,891,258.92
Interest on Bank Deposits	276,951.35
Other Interest	10,335.62
Increase by adjustment in Book Value of Ledger Assets	440,482.93
Other Income	395,349.53
Total	$107,986,541.64

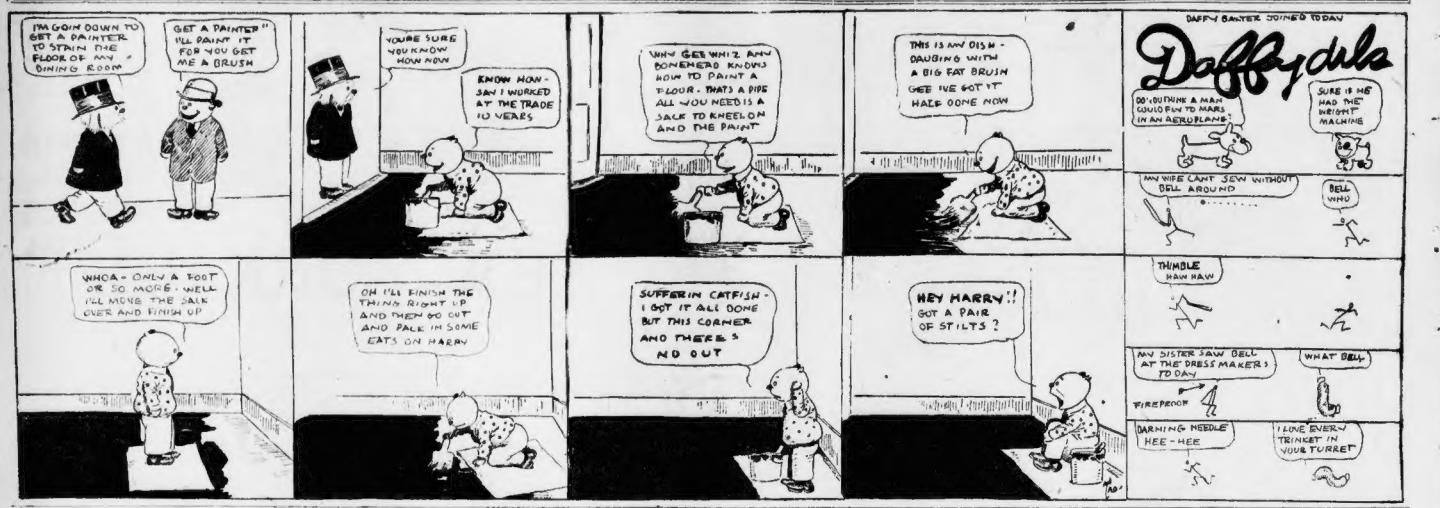
DISBURSEMENTS, 1910	
Payments to Policy-holders:	
Death-losses	$23,726,134.53
To Living Policy holders	29,838,308.61
	$53,564,443.14
Instalments, Dividends and Interest paid under supplementary contracts	178,257.20
Commissions on New Business	2,937,629.25
Ren't Coms. & other pay'ts to Agts.	1,840,648.96
Med. Exam'n & Ag'cy Supervis'n	1,377,027.86
Branch Office Salaries and Exp's	1,001,791.71
Home Office Salaries	1,581,628.88
T'xes, Licenses and Ins. Dept. Fees	1,073,962.79
Rent & Real Estate Taxes & Exp's.	891,308.56
Gen't Expenses & Profit and Loss.	837,173.07
Decrease by adjustment in Book Value of Ledger Assets	1,205,005.28
For Reserves to meet Pol. Oblig'ns	41,597,665.14
Total	$107,986,541.64

LANGFORD EASILY DEFEATS ATWATER IN THREE ROUNDS

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

HARVARD DEFEATS COLUMBIA TEAM IN ICE STRUGGLE HERE

Bunk Was an Old Painter Himself Years Ago — By Tad



WOLGAST TO BOX OWEN

CADILLAC, Mich., Jan. 17.—Ad Wolgast, champion lightweight of the world, has signed with "Jack" O'Brien, manager of the New American A. C., of Philadelphia, for three fights. For the three battles he will receive $5,000 each. The battles are to be of six rounds each and the adversaries will be Knockout Brown, Battling Nelson and either Owen Moran or Packey McFarland.

The first one will be pulled off Feb. 8, with either McFarland or Moran. Next will come Knockout Brown, on Feb. 16. Six days later, on the anniversary of the day Wolgast took the title from Nelson, the champion and ex-champion will thump each other in one of the Philadelphia's six round, no-decision affairs.

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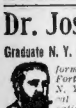

formerly resident physician Fort Hamilton Hospital, N. Y.; member Mass. Medical Society; surgeon outpatient staff Lincoln Hospital; physician to City Dispensary; associate at St. Joseph's Hospital on eye, ear, nose and throat; medical examiner for the Met. Life Ins.; Lowell Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, A. O. Foresters of A. of C.

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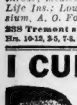

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POLICE PUT STOP TO HAYES-COTTON BOUT

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 17.—The main bout at the Northern Club was stopped by the police. It was between George Cotton and John Hayes (Klondike) and Cotton had all the best of the fray. It was in the fifth that Captain John Dean called a halt. Klondike was then all in, but came to the core, and when he learned what it all meant protested volubly. Klondike really did no fighting at all. The preliminary was stopped by the referee because he said the boxers were not trying to mix.

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PICK BALDWIN TO LICK MOORE

Pal Moore and Matty Baldwin, aspirants for the lightweight championships, battle at the Armory A. A. in what is expected to be one of the best bouts ever staged here. If the Philadelphia boxer does not get another set back, it will not be the fault of the local boy. Matty is out to win as quickly as possible, as he has visions of meeting that real, clever boy, Owen Moran, and that near-hero of the ring, Ad Wolgast.

The local boxer is the favorite. Boston sporting men are doping it out that Matte will prove too rugged for Jimmy DeForrest's "son," and that he will bring home the bacon—or anything you choose to call it.

Jack Sheehan will referee. If it is possible to give a decision, he has been instructed to do so, all of which should make the bout a rapid-fire exhibition, one worth traveling on the bumpers of a freight car to see.

Moore in Fit Shape.

Indications point to a big house. That was one great round-up of members of the Langford Jeanette show last Tuesday, and although it is not thought that an big a crowd will turn out to see tonight's bout, yet the attendance records will not vary by over a million or two.

Pal and his manager Jimmy now exercise a lively interest in the ring, and boxer arrived here to-day. Pal looked to be in the best of condition. He and Baldwin weigh in at the Armory gymnasium at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Baldwin has the advantage over Moore in strength and ring experience, while the Philadelphian has been in most of his bouts shown that he is more clever than the local boxer. With these conditions the bout should be sensational from start to finish.

To-night's bout is the first that Baldwin has been engaged in since he broke his arm on Battling Hurley. Those who saw that bout at the Armory Club will never forget it. Matty fought Hurley throughout with only one arm in the words of one of our most eminent citizens "beat him to a frazzle."

Moore has never traveled over ten rounds, except in one or two bouts, and only in the last few added rounds will may be that the youngster is growing stale. The best dope, however, is that it will be a rattling bout, a real scrap from start to finish.

Three good six-round bouts take place before the main event is staged. The one that is creating the most interest is a six-round affair between young McGovern of Woburn and Billy Clark of Lawrence, and the latter will be watched with much interest from the start to the end of this engagement. Haywood Briggs and Billy Hinkle also meet for six rounds, while Joe White of South Boston and Young Lord will mix it up for the same length of time.

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AT JACKSONVILLE.

FIRST RACE—Emmet, Gold Mine, Star Jasmine.
SECOND RACE—O'Em, John A, Woolgum.
THIRD RACE—Discontent, Detect, Limpet.
FOURTH RACE—Jack Frazer, Hoffman, Mexoma.
FIFTH RACE—Novelty race.
SIXTH RACE—Casque Horse, Star Rose.
SEVENTH RACE—The Monk, Mamie Algol, Heart Page.
Best Bet—CASQUE.

AT OAKLAND.

FIRST RACE—Rocky O'Brien, Prudeal, Palo Alto.
SECOND RACE—Lon Dale, Yuir, Billy Hancock.
THIRD RACE—Rosauo, Darrington, Grace G, Polly Ann.
FOURTH RACE—Constance Horter, Star Rose, Rosella.
FIFTH RACE—Rosella, Respaneful, Early Times.
SIXTH RACE—Ben Stone, Gompier II, Woodlander.

AT JUAREZ.

FIRST RACE—Callus, Clover, Royal Tea.
SECOND RACE—Antigo, Red Law, Elder.
THIRD RACE—Frank Mullen, John Dillon, Tim.
FOURTH RACE—Lomond, The Wolf, Workbox.
FIFTH RACE—Bonita, Rose, Lon Prior.
SIXTH RACE—Florence, Acumen, Hoyle.
Best Bet—LOMOND.

AT TAMPA.

FIRST RACE—Little Dutch, Orlando, Lady, Annie Lorraine.
SECOND RACE—Berchstein, Love Matches, Nora Bonner.
THIRD RACE—Ben Sand, Johnny Wise, C. Armstrong.
FOURTH RACE—Glympian, Locust, Rod, Uncle William.
FIFTH RACE—St. Dunstan, Chess, Grenade.
SIXTH RACE—George Smith, Virginia Hinder, Carbuncle.

JACKSONVILLE RESULTS.

FIRST RACE—Billy Vandeveer, 7 to 5; Emma Stuart, 5 to 1; Jay Bee, 4 to 5. Time—1:14 4-5.
SECOND RACE—Planchon, 7 to 10; Double Quick, 3 to 1; Pegasus, 7 to 2. Time—1:14 3-5.
THIRD RACE—Grover Hughes, 12 to 1; Lehoney, 3 to 1; Ethel Jones, 5 to 2. Time—1:12 3-5.
FOURTH RACE—Descomeita, 8 to 1; Glucose, out; Joe Wing, 3 to 5. Time—1:40 1-5.
FIFTH RACE—Oakhurst, 40 to 1; Camel, 4 to 1; Dr. Dunn, 3 to 1. Time—1:13 4-5.
SIXTH RACE—Hush, 3 to 1; Brevite, 2 to 1; Queen Mercedes, 8 to 5. Time—1:39 2-5.

OAKLAND RESULTS.

FIRST RACE—Lenar, 4 to 1; Eddie Mott, 2 to 1; Lucy Hampton, 3 to 1.
SECOND RACE—Zinet, 3 to 5; Mamie, 3 to 5; Ethel Hall, 10 to 1.
THIRD RACE—Gilmore, 10 to 1; Miss Inspector, 6 to 5; Alencon, 1 to 2. Time—1:00.
FOURTH RACE—Helen Maides, 5 to 1; Dr. Hollis, 4 to 5; J. E. Swanner, third. Time—1:14 3-5.
FIFTH RACE—Sandsetta, 5 to 2; Rabiola, 1 to 2; McAndrews, even. Time—1:16 2-5.
SIXTH RACE—Ben Stone, 3 to 5; Ben Ali, even; Alice, 8 to 5. Time—1:13 1-5.
SEVENTH RACE—Bellehurst, 7 to 10; Riverado, 10 to 1; Caren, 5 to 1. Time—1:54 3-5.

TAMPA ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Nora Bonner, second-hand, about three furlongs. Elan, 107; xxAnnie Lorraine, 107; xxLittle Dutch, 107; Hilarious, 110; Nina Hill, 110; W. F. Stoval, 110; Orlando Lady, 115.
SECOND RACE—Ben Hall, three-year-olds and up, five furlongs. Lapelle, 90; xxHaler Hersey, 91; Berchstein, 97; Lehoney, 97; Lord Rollo, 97; Love Letters, 99; xxShipperdy Song, 103; Love Watches, 104; Ben Sand, 104; Bernetain, 112; Randy Lee, 112; Lon Mc, 115.
THIRD RACE—Selling, three-year-olds and up, four furlongs. Lodestone, 97; St. Louis K., 107; Johnny Wise, 108; Broken Ties, 108; xxBen Sand, 108; Ethel Jones, 108; Lady Hanks, 110; Harold Dancer, 110; Hattie Garrett, 110; C. A. Lehman, 110; Remona, 112.
FOURTH RACE—Selling, four-year-olds and up, one mile and a half furlongs. Chatterer, 97; Lord Valentine, 100; St. Dunbar, 102; Vantan, 102; Hoyle, 102; Alvadeero, 107; Leonard Bell, 107; Hogan, 112; Ursaw, 112; Dr. Walker, 112; Mr. Kohl, 112; Lucy Hampton, 112; Ben Ali, 112; Hattie Garrett, 112.
FIFTH RACE—Selling, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs. Inspector General, 96; Leon B., 99; Lucy Hampton, 100; Tomcat, 100; Pinfold, 102; xxGrenade, 103; St. Dunbar, 110; Golden Castle, 115; Hazard, 115.
SIXTH RACE—Selling, four-year-olds and up, one mile. Radiation, 104; George Turner, 104; Tomcat, 104; Dumition, 107; Virginia Lindsay, 107; Jack Frazer, 107; Lady Rose, 107; Lord Valentine, 107; Uncle Jim, 109; Carthage, 109; Dr. Walker, 109; Vantan, 112; Pilot Pressburg, 116.

xFive pounds allowance. xxThree pounds allowance. xxxFourth entry.

JAUREZ ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Nine furlongs, three and one-half furlongs; Posture, 103; skillute, Savills, Cavey, 105; Worth Post, 107; Bill Nye, 110; Caller, 112; Record, 116.
SECOND RACE—Selling, six furlongs; Red Lass, 90; Pounds, Aunt Nancy, Sona Derricot, 93; Ben Hall, 95; Lapelle, 97; each; Sam Cohen, 100; Mintzer, 102; Alrich, W. Y. Overton, 113; Lucy Hampton, 114; Ben Sand, 115.
THIRD RACE—Selling, one and one-half furlongs; Pipple, 103; Nagnick, Colmar, 104 each; Frank Mc, 105; Tomcat, 106; Pinfold, 107; xxGrenade, 110; Helmet, 113 each.
FOURTH RACE—Selling, seven furlongs; Reach Sand, 85; Mintzer, 94; Marion Caser, 101; Parson Davies, 102; The Wolf, 103; Bill Nye, 104; Kilmer, 107; Ursaw, 112; Corbon, 113.
FIFTH RACE—Selling, one and one-half furlongs; Trafalgar, 97; Jessie Stribling, Hoopa, 100 each; Strange, D'Or, Bert Getty, Jesse, 103 each; Gainsick, Commendation, 106; Lem, Prize, Rallis, 112.
SIXTH RACE—Selling, one mile; Acumen, 101; Florence, 102; Short Order, 104; Lone Jack, 105; Ben Holladay, 106; Lord Badge, 108; Fred Mulholland, 109; Light Wood, 112.

ROLLER TO AID NELDEN SHOW

Dr. Ben Roller, who is in town to complete arrangements for his match with Zbyszko at Mechanics Hall, will try to arrange his business affairs so as to offer his services at the Nelden benefit at the Armory A. A. Friday night. If it is possible for Dr. Roller to be in Boston January 20 a suitable opponent will be put against him in a heavyweight wrestling match.

Billy Pierce, matchmaker of the Armory A. A., left for Syracuse yesterday with Dan Flynn, and it was deemed best by the committee to postpone the final arrangement of the program Friday night until to-morrow. The committee will meet tomorrow at 1:30 p. m. and the complete program will be announced through the press Thursday morning.

Jack Twin Sullivan will do a song and dance stunt at the benefit. The hearing of the twins says that Bostonians have seen him but on other lines now and he will be a novelty. Jack is a clever dancer and his vocal powers are well known.

Sam Langford and Dan Sullivan will hustle back from New York State so as to be on hand to help Johnny Nelden Friday night.

JACKSONVILLE ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Selling, one-quarter of a mile; Drexel Hill, 112; Sister Florence, 112; Mary Lee Johnson, 112; Star Jasmine, 112; Aniico, Louis, 112; Rebut, 112; Dar May, 112; Sanpe, 112; Lenny Wash, 112; Kent S., 112; Gallagher, 112; Electric, 112; Efficiency, 112; Tonsquilla, 112; Ethel Jones, 112.
SECOND RACE—Four-year-olds and up, selling, one mile; Ellsworth, 90; Ben Holladay, 97; Jim Logan, 102; Belgrave, 102; Kentucky Belle, 102; Oro, 102; Kempton Park, 104; Husky, 104; Dupont, 104; Bonnie Boy, 107; Sonora, 107; Jim A., 107; Holland, 108; Austin Stirtzer, 108.
THIRD RACE—Three-year-olds and up, selling, one mile; Americaner, 101; Lady Tenhurst, 102; Real Gem, 103; Detect, 104; Discontent, 104; Limpet, 104; Lemon, 104; Attentive, 107.
FOURTH RACE—Handicap, three-years-old and upward, one mile and a sixteenth; Ella Richmond, 95; Hoffman, 110; Jack Hare, 115; Cesar II., 91.
FIFTH RACE—Great Special Handicap Nursery Race, purse $3000, of which $400 to first, $750 to second, $300 to third. Marathon (unnamed) to K. Kennedy to run 925 yards. C. E. Bowling to run 900 yards, two useless horses to run 875 yards, to run six furlongs; automobile, Cole, Buick horse to run seven furlongs; Harry Vanderbilt cup winner, Buick; Barnett's Pride, two power, 1911 model, to run 850 yards; Sfirt, 825 yards.
SIXTH RACE—Four-year-olds and up, selling, six furlongs, Silvestria, 101; Star Blue, 106; Manager, 107; Lady Bryson, 107; Governor, 110; Melodeon, 110; Stafford, 107.
SEVENTH RACE—Four-year-olds and up, selling, one mile and a sixteenth. Louis Reid, 103; Ben Holladay, 104; Bonnie Boy, 104; Sonora, 104; Reschamotion, 106; Rosebud II, 106; Tonsquilla, 106; Ethel Jones, 106; Sister Florence, 106; Lady Bryson, 106; Ben Ali, 106; Governor, 110; Sir Earl, 112; Cadiz, 110; Henry Cressaullin, 110; Sir Hackler, 110. Also eligible, Percy Taylor, Aunt Kate, Starover.

OAKLAND ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Eleven-sixteenth of a mile, Prudent, 111; Rocky O'Brien, 111; Oswale, 114; Palo Alto, 114; Sutherland, 114; Judge Cabaniss, 114; Postillo, 114; Quick Trip, 114; Rocky O'Brien, 114; Lon Dale, 116; Miss Plenty, 104; Rosauo, 100; Yuir, 116.
SECOND RACE—Three furlongs, Yuir, 112; Moon Lake, 112; Billy Hancock, 112; Joe Fitzgerald, 112; Kenny, 112; Grace G., 109; Darrington, 109; Gladale, 109; Quill, 109; Presumption, 106; F. L. Stanford, 106.
THIRD RACE—Three-quarters of a mile, selling, Early Times, 101; Rosella, 101; Buck Thorn, 107; Rosevale, 107; Big Stick, 103; Enchequer, 103; Rosemont, 111; Ben Ali, 111; Paul Jones, 107; Native Son, 107; Gelica, 105; Southern Gold, 105; Grace G., 105; Rosauo, 105; Arbor, 108.
FOURTH RACE—One mile and seventy yards, selling, Kelsenbell, 111; Onalassa, 110; Fulletta, 110; Dan Cupid, 110; Sir Hackler, 110; Sir Earl, 110; Greenbacket, 107; Wee Child, 107; Matador, 107; Lady Bryson, 106; Miss Plenty, 104; Governor, 100; Yuir, 116.
FIFTH RACE—Mile and twenty yards, selling, Early Times, 101; Rosauo Rock, 107; Buck Thorn, 107; Rosevale, 100; Big Stick, 103; Enchequer, 103; Rosemont, 111; Ben Ali, 111; Paul Jones, 107; Native Son, 107; Gelica, 105; Southern Gold, 105; Grace G., 105; Rosauo, 105; Arbor, 108.
SIXTH RACE—Three-quarters of a mile, selling, Lucy Hampton, 107; Nonpareil, 107; Harry Gretchen G., 102; Grenadiana, 101; Genoa, 101; Ben Ali, 101.

xxAllen Housley entry.

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K. O. BROWN GETS ANOTHER VICTIM

NEWARK, N. J., Jan. 17.—With two powerful blows, one left to the jaw and the other a left to the body, Knockout Brown, the New York lightweight, floored Jack Ritchie, the Chicago welterweight, at the Mechanics Club in Harrison, N. J., in the second round of the 10-round bout. It was fully fifteen minutes before Ritchie got on his feet. It was one of the liveliest slap-dash-kill-him-quick bouts that has been seen at Mechanics in a long time. The blows that put Ritchie out struck him with such force that he dropped like a ton of lead.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

LANGFORD PICKS UP EASY MONEY

UTICA, N. Y., Jan. 17.—Sam Langford, the "Boston Tar Baby" can certainly pick up some soft ones. Sam made his last appearance in the ring before going to England, in the Stars armory here. Fred Atwater, another pugilist of color, who has stated his desire to some day meet Johnson, was Langford's opponent, and he proved to be out of Sam's class.

WAGNER HAS A SHADE ON PACKEY HOMMEY

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Joe Wagner had a shade the better of his fight with Packey Hommey in their ten-round bout at the Olympic A. C. in Harlem.

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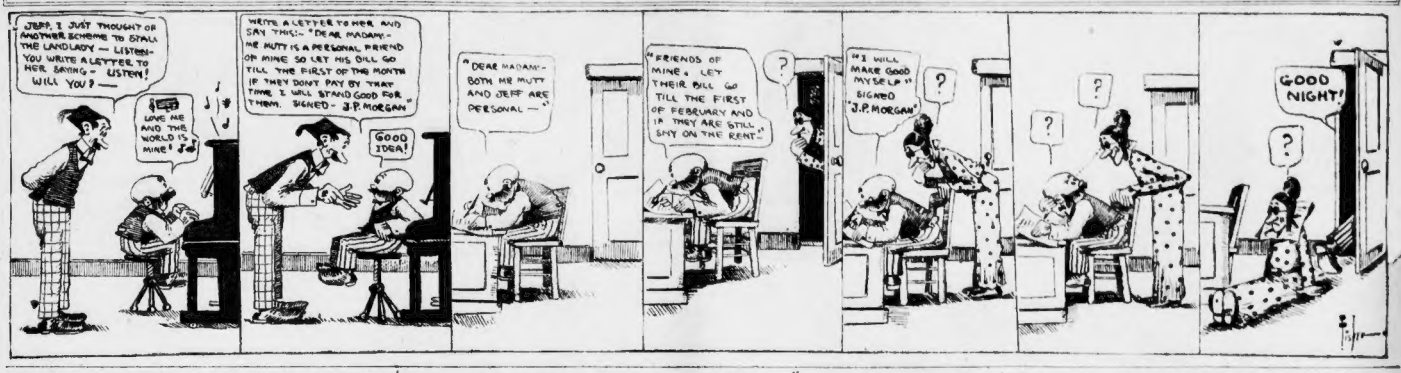

YATTER CLAIMS BILLIARD CHAMP

By ED. COGSWELL.

Here is a new champion. Not the hope of the white race, but one who is after the unsung title in New England at balkline billiards.

Moses Yatter, of fame known throughout the whole country, has come to the front with the challenge to play anybody in New England for the balkline title over a 5x10 table at 14-2 balk, 500 points, for from $100 to $200 a side.

Yatter is not particular that the match be played at his place of business, but is willing to have it come off at any reputable billiard parlor in New England.

He takes this opportunity in claiming the professional championship of New England through Albert Cutler, being now a resident of New York, as well as he fired Eames, residing in Denver, Colo., the ones who have held the honors.

Yatter counts it is time to establish what is now the dead title of champion of this section. In order that this be determined he tosses the gage. If the same is not answered inside of sixty days he will take unto himself the honors.

Yatter is too well known to billiard players in general to have anybody believe he is bluffing. If only men are coming to the front for any to get the match who opposes him in taking the championship. He is willing to post the wager with any responsible sporting man on a daily paper in Boston, but prefers the AMERICAN.

By the way, there is a working good amateur contest going on at the Elite. To date, Frank of "Old Utah" program is the lead. The struggle is not over, consequently several in the tournament have a good opportunity of finally going to the front. The standing:

CLASS C BILLIARDS.

Name.	W.	L.	H.R.
Flash	16	1	13
Kloken	5	1	13
Maynard	4	2	13
Bill	3	2	14
Mike	3	2	11
Doolin	2	4	11
Fitzgerald	2	4	10
Driscoll	2	4	9
Hamblett	2	4	8
Baker	0	5	13

100 TO 1 SHOT WINS IN SENSATIONAL RACE

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Jan. 17.—Oakhurst, at 100 to 1, furnished the sensation at Moncrief yesterday by winning the fifth race. Another surprise was sprung when Grover Hughes, at 15 to 1, captured the third race.

Who's Who IN SPORT

LOUIS GUERTIN, NO. 32.

Louis Guertin of Brockton, holder of the world's high jump record, is not only expert in high jumping, but shines as an athlete generally. Guertin is a sprinter, 220 and 880 yard runner, pole-vaulter, weight thrower, broad jumper, does hop, step and jump successfully and is a wrestler and boxer as well. His last public appearance as an athlete was at Philadelphia when he won five first prizes and a second in six events. Has just finished coast to coast vaudeville tour; will go to Scotland to take part in games there next Spring. Received his early athletic training at the Brockton Y. M. C. A., and is a native of Weymouth, is well and popularly known in sporting fraternity.

CHARLIE HICKMAN IS EAGER TO COME BACK

BROCKTON, Jan. 17.—Charles Hickman of Fall River, second baseman of the Three I League, had a conference with John W. McCue, part owner of the Brockton team, relative to a deal that may be put through to bring Hickman back to Brockton, where he played three years prior to going to Providence.

Hickman is eager to return to Brockton. He has offered $50 for release and has promised to assist the Davenport club in securing a pitcher. It is possible that Brockton may trade pitcher Roy Eberly for Hickman.

MIGHTY POLE BEATS THE "FINNISH LION"

BROOKLYN, Jan. 17. — Zbyszko, the Polish giant, defeated Pilakoff, the "Finnish lion," in a catch-as-catch-can wrestling match here. Zbyszko secured the first fall in 46 minutes and 10 seconds. After wrestling 7 minutes and 34 seconds in the second period the Polish wrestler lifted Pilakoff over his head and threw him heavily to the mat. The "Finnish lion" fell on his elbow and was unable to continue. Several ligaments of his arm were torn.

TWO CRIMSON TEAMS AT MEET

Harvard will be represented by two relay teams in the indoor meet of the South Boston A. C. in Mechanics building next Saturday night. No opponents could be obtained for the speedy 390-yard team, so Coach Donovan will make up another team and run them against each other.

The freshmen team will be matched against the fast English High four. Both the varsity and freshmen teams have been put through a severe training by the Crimson coaches and only something unforseen will prevent their giving a good account of themselves at the end of the week.

At the Armory A. A. indoor meet in Providence on January 26, Harvard will enter both her 780 and 880-yard relay teams. Both will be matched with similar teams from Technology.

LEACH CROSS KNOCKS OUT CHARLIE GRIFFIN

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Leach Cross, the Bowery dentist, re-entered the ring at the Vanderbilt A. C. in Brooklyn, and knocked out Charlie Griffin of Australia in the second round of a bout which was scheduled to go ten rounds. The Australian made a fair impression in the first round.

After a minute of fighting in the second round, Cross rushed at the Australian and sent a right swing to the point of the jaw which dazed Griffin. The dentist followed this up and sent in a right to the stomach which dropped Griffin to the mat, where he was counted out. It was fast going for the two rounds.

BOWLING ALLEY NEWS

George I. Green, secretary of the Shawmut team of the Amateur League says it is dollars to doughnuts that no team in Shawmut have ever more than one man to bowl the game with over 100. Green, of silvers fame, rolled the 101 on Monday night. The score of the last nine men of the team is laid off with a scrained leg, causing Green to take his place in the last game. Mahlon A. Rice rolled like a ninety-year-old lady, which is making Philip Gaffney, of the Shawmut team, Tuesday night.

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There are telling how Mahlon of Dudley Coonlass in the Brookside's League got away in the "set match" to stand in the final rounds. It seems Tom's better half let him to mind the baby while she went to the theatre. A little later in came Tommy Nolan. Tom's mother-in-law. Then came Tom's wife. Then came Tom's mother-in-law. Then came Tom's wife's mother. Then came Tom's mother-in-law. Then came Tom's wife's mother. Then came Tom's mother-in-law. Then came Tom's wife's mother

"She'll Never Understand"

By KENNETT HARRIS.

YOU know I set a heap of store by that sweet wife of mine,
Each year I love her more and more. Her cooking's superfine.
Is broiling steak she stands alone. Her cakes and pies are grand,
But, like Rud Kipling's rag and bone, she cannot understand.

Man's love, says Byrie, from his life is quite a thing apart,
And that will often make his wife uncommon cross and tart.
I own I've outside duties that I cannot slight or dodge,
But she can't see it and she'll spat when I attend the lodge.

She cannot understand the way work has of piling up
Beyond the limits of the day. That's gall within her cup.
I've told her that I cannot shirk the task I really hate,
But she believes I like to work down at the office late.

Bob Stevenson declares that friends, a dozen or but one,
Are quite the best that heaven sends when all is said and done,
But she has never understood, although her head's not thick,
That friends are what a fellow should sit up with when they're sick.

I tell her plainly as I can, and time and time again,
A man has got to be a man and sociable with men.
It's business, no one can deny. She ought to see, I think,
But she's no comprehension why I had to take that drink.

It's funny, for she's lots of sense in some things, I'll admit;
In others, though, she's very dense—I might say weak of wit.
I try to make her see the light, but still it beats the band
The things that keep me out at night she'll never understand.

Serenity Is Power

By ELLA WHEELER WILCOX

"Every time we yield to an irritable impulse, we find ourselves out of harmony with the universe."

QUICK temper is an indication of a lack of mental and moral culture.

The ill-tempered Christian is not a Christian at all, no matter what his faith may be.

There is but one evidence, I believe, in all his life that the gentle Christ ever showed even righteous indignation.

Anger is crude, and is an element of our early savage ancestry, when men tore at each other like brutes.

Many people imagine it is an evidence of a high spirit to be quick-tempered.

It is merely an indication of crudity.

The Divine Law

The really cultivated man never shows anger; the man whose spiritual nature is highly developed never feels it. He is serene under all conditions.

Many of us aim at this state, but few reach it. Yet it is a goal worthy of a life-long effort.

Every time we yield to an irritable impulse, we put ourselves out of harmony with the universe.

Every time we overcome such an impulse and remain calm, we bring ourselves nearer to divine law.

We all know the miserable sense of humiliation which follows after a burst of anger. We feel an indescribable emotion of abasement. We have stepped down from our own ideal of ourselves.

Avoid the Habit

This is true even of those who imagine that they believe a quick temper to be an accomplishment. That is only an opinion acquired by a false education, while the knowledge that anger is ignoble comes from the intuition.

The habit of ill temper, once acquired, is a difficult one to break. It requires patience and faith and character.

Vanity, too, is an aid. A girl who prides herself upon always wearing becoming gowns and hats was once rebuked by a friend for her quick temper.

"Don't get in a temper over every little annoyance," the friend said, "it is so unbecoming. It quite spoils your looks when you are in such a mood."

The young woman had often been told her temper was a sin and a vice, but she had never before been made to feel that it was "unbecoming." like an ugly hat or ill-fitting frock.

Anger's Extravagance

She set about the task of controlling her temper, and succeeded admirably.

First, she controlled her speech, then she controlled her appearance, and after a time she found her feelings were controlling themselves.

In one burst of anger we exhaust enough vitality to take us through days of hard skip and deprivation, or to enable us to do some great deed of courage and heroism.

In little, continuous ill tempers we dissipate our strength as a leaking gas main wastes its force, poisoning the air with the element which should be conserved for light and heat.

"Serenity is power."

Let us all remember the great truth contained in these three words.

The noisy thunder does nothing. The silent lightning strikes.

The greatest possible aid to the control of the temper is to remember that an exhibition of anger is a vulgarity.

Most of us would rather be vicious than vulgar. The goal of sereclty is far and high, and weary the climb and many the fall; yet, up and on again, for only by reaching it can we attain to the best use of ourselves and our opportunities.

Mock Angel Food

ONE-half cupful flour, one cupful sugar, three rounded teaspoonfuls of baking powder, and a pinch of salt. Sift all the above together five or six times and add the stiffly beaten whites of two eggs with flavoring; bake in a tin with a tube. Do not grease the tube, but as soon as taken from the oven turn upside down and as the cake cools it loosens.

Banana Pudding

SLICE three large bananas thin. Make a custard of the yolks of three eggs, two cups milk, one-half cup sugar, small piece of butter, pinch salt, two tablespoonfuls of flour, a little vanilla. Beat all together and boil in a double boiler until it thickens, then pour over the bananas and serve with whipped cream.

For Love of Madge

By C. H. WELLINGTON
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Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

THE ONE YOU LOVE

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a girl, nineteen years old, and have a great many gentlemen friends, whom I seem to have a lot of trouble with. There are two young men, great chums, who love me, and whom I like the best of all.

A few of very serious disposition, and fairly worshipful me in a quiet way. He is the soul of honor and truthfulness, and would make a fine girl. It is happy-go-lucky, witty, fine company, and very popular with the girls. He is just the opposite from A, and is constantly telling me of his love for me, and what I'm afraid of is that it won't last, for he admits that he "rides" the girls, but swears that he is serious with me. Both say I must choose between them. I cannot decide. When I am with A I am sure that I like him the better, and then when I see B he persuades me that I love him best. Can you help me? Do you think I am either old enough to marry? I like to go out with all the boys, and not have just one, but they say I must decide.

OLIVE.

YOU do not really love either or you would not be so undecided. Personally I should consider "A" much the more desirable man to marry, but don't marry him unless you really love him. A man who admits that he is not sincere with girls would be rather unsatisfactory as a husband, I am afraid.

AN IMPERTINENT YOUNG MAN

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a young girl of eighteen, considered quite good looking and popular. Every morning on my way to the city I see a handsome young fellow on the boat. Several times he has said "Good morning," or winked at me, but I have never been able to answer him for going to church he is always with me. How can I get rid of my uncle?

THE young man is most impertinent, and if you had any pride you would look on him actions as an insult. Don't be a foolish girl, pay no attention to the young man and if he attempts to speak to you snub him severely.

Married Life the Second Year

By MABEL HERBERT URNER

HIS MOTHER'S CALL.

IT WAS his mother's first call since the bridal trip. Helen had received her in the front room rather formally, but when the baby began to cry they had both gone into the nursery.

While Helen quieted Winifred, Mrs. Curtis was looking around very critically. Helen knew she had called to comment on the expensive furs Warren had bought her, and on the few other extravagances in which they had indulged since his profitable speculations.

She had long ceased to wonder how his family seemed to know of every purchase she made. They always did know. To that fact she had become reconciled, but she had never become reconciled to their criticism or interference.

And now she wondered with mingled curiosity and resentment just how Mrs. Curtis would manage to bring her conversation around to the furs and just what criticism she would make. And she determined to make it as difficult for her as she could.

Several times when she saw that the subject of "expenses" was being adroitly led up to, just as adroitly she continued to talk of the baby—its new dimple, the way it coos in the morning, and how it loves its bath.

A Musical Education

Suddenly a head-organ began to play in the street below and the baby crowed with delight.

"She loves music so!" exclaimed Helen proudly.

"Yes, Warren always loved music," said his mother complacently—"all my children do."

Helen repressed a smile. Every desirable trait the baby showed was always attributed to Warren—and all the undesirable ones to her.

"And I suppose you are planning to give her a good musical education?" Mrs. Curtis went on.

"Oh, yes," Helen answered. "Just as soon as she is old enough we are going to start her."

"Well, you know that is an expensive training, and now is the time you and Warren should begin laying aside for that purpose. By the time she is old enough to take lessons—there may be other babies. And you may be less able to spare the money then than now. I think all parents should begin to provide for the education of their children as soon as they are born."

Helen knew what was coming, but to this very excellent advice she could only murmur a "Yes, that is a very good plan."

"And I suppose you and Warren are putting aside something each month with that in view."

"Well, no—not yet. Of course, we expect to—but we haven't begun yet."

The Furs at Last

"I'm afraid, Helen, you're inclined to spend a great deal on clothes. Of course, I never want to interfere, but Cecile noticed you at church with some expensive new furs. It seemed to me that with all the expenses you and Warren have had this year—it would have been better to have waited."

Helen flushed. "Warren bought me those furs, Mrs. Curtis."

"Oh, of course, Warren wants you to have the best of everything; that's quite natural. And he is always so generous. But you should discourage him when you feel it is more than he can afford."

For a moment Helen wanted to tell her the truth—that Warren had been speculating and had bought the furs with some of the money made that way. And then she realized that she would only call down upon herself an avalanche of criticism. Mrs. Curtis would claim it was all her fault, that it was to supply her with needless luxuries.

And besides Warren would be furious if she told his mother. His father would hear of it then, and he had always been most bitter against speculations of any kind.

"Well, as I said before, I don't wish to interfere. This is something you and Warren must decide for yourselves. But I think it is your duty to do something now to provide for your child's future."

That evening when Warren came home Helen greeted him with:

"Your mother has been here."

"That so?" carelessly. "What did she have to say?"

"Carrie had seen my new furs at church. And your mother thought we'd been most extravagant. I think she called purposely to tell me so."

"I Am Afraid"

"I wish Carrie would attend to her own affairs."

"Well, you know she won't. And now they are blaming me for leading you into rash expenditures!"

He laughed. "You don't mind, do you? You say they blame you for everything, so you ought to be used to it by this time."

"But when they find you've been speculating? Oh, Warren, they'll blame me for that, too. They'll say you did it to gratify my extravagant demands!"

"Nonsense. You keep harping on that. One would think an occasional venture in stocks a criminal thing."

"No, no, but I can't help worrying about it. I can't help being afraid."

"Whats there to be afraid of? I've made good in every deal yet, haven't I? I tell you I know something about that game. I could give points now to some of those brokers. Why, they're duffers, most of them."

It was this air of assurance, of self-confidence that Helen most feared. She had heard enough of the treachery of the stock market to realize the danger of such an attitude.

"Oh, by the way, Dalton wants us to dine with him and his wife at some Bohemian joint next Tuesday."

"Oh, Warren, we don't want to."

"Why not?"

"Because"

"Because of what?" sharply. "Because you think I'd like to go? Because you know I want you to be decent to Dalton?"

"Because," deliberately, "I have never approved of the Daltons, and now that I know he has influenced you to speculate, I approve of them less than ever."

"Dalton's Been Decent"

"Oh, you never approve of anybody. Dalton's been mighty decent in putting me on a number of good things lately. Now he invites us to dinner—and I'm going. If you won't go, I guess they can get some one to take your place. Mrs. Dalton's cousin is visiting them, and she's a dashed good looking girl, too."

"Oh, Warren, how vulgar!"

"What's vulgar about that?"

"Trying to force me to go by telling me if I didn't you'll be with some good looking girl."

"I'm merely telling you facts—and you don't seem to like them much, either. Now mull it over and decide what you want to do." And he took up his paper with elaborate concern.

Helen's cheeks were burning. Never before had he said anything like that. It seemed so common somehow—"if you don't go, a darned good-looking girl will!" Other men might say such things to their wives—but that Warren should say them to her!

But she wouldn't go—she resolved fiercely. She would give him to understand that she wouldn't be influenced by any such means.

"It isn't necessary to think it over," she said aloud. "I have quite decided I shall not go."

"Oh, very well," unconcernedly, and without looking up from his paper.

Appeal to Women

More features and articles on subjects of interest to women appear in the Sunday AMERICAN than in any other Boston newspaper.

MADAME X

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CHAPTER XIII.—(Continued)

"I WROTE three letters to my husband asking him to see me, and he never answered. That made me all the more afraid to meet him, and I don't think I would ever have had the courage if I had not overheard a conversation between two men in a cafe one evening. They had just come from Paris. Among the lawyers, and one of them was wondering at my husband's strength. He said that my boy had been dangerously ill, and that my husband was there and at night, but in court every day as usual.

"When I heard that my baby might be dying I nearly swooned; and before I had recovered the two men were gone. I called a cab and drove to the railway station as fast as I could, and within a few hours I was in Paris. Nearly all of my fear of my husband was gone in my grief about my baby and I hurried to the house where we had lived as fast as a horse could go. When I got there I found that he had moved to Passy shortly after I—I left him. It was late in the evening when I found the place."

Jacqueline paused and her head sank slowly on to the table. After a few moments she sat up and reached feverishly for the bottle.

"The—hugh!—maid knew—hugh! hugh! —knew me," she coughed, "and directed her to tell my husband that a woman wanted to see him, without giving me my name. When he came in he tried to put me out of the house without listening to me, but I provoked at his rest and begged him to let me see my boy! I told him how I had suffered and how bitterly I had repented the wrong I had done him, and for a time I thought he would yield and forgive me. But when I told him that my love was dead he thought that was the only reason I had returned to him, and he went mad with rage. In spite of my tears and struggles he pushed me out of the house and—and—I had lost—my boy forever!"

"You remember that, d'you hear?" she demanded. "You can kill a man, and if you're any sort of reason everybody may forgive. But if you're untrue to your husband—it doesn't make any difference what reason you have—everybody'll kick you

CHAPTER XIV.
Sic Itur Ad Averno

Jacqueline fumbled in the box for another cigarette and held it, unlighted, in her hand as she went on.

"I don't remember much what happened for the next few hours after that. I must have found my way back to Paris somehow because when I was still dark I was standing at the edge of an embankment looking into the Seine.

"The water looked cool and my clothes were wet through and through. I didn't know what I was doing or how I got there. A light on the other side threw a reflection across almost to my feet; and, as I looked down, I saw my baby in the water!

Her voice had dropped until it was barely audible across the room, and she leaned toward Marie, her eyes shining with an insane light.

"I spose you think I'm crazy, eh? Couldn't have seen it, you don't know all about baddies, my girl!

"D'you ever see your baby in the river?" she demanded, with fierce fierceness. The girl's only reply was a dry sob and a shudder.

"Well, you will if you run away with that d—— nasty peddler of yours," she crumbled, settling back in her chair.

"I was just going to get into the river and take him in my arms when someone caught hold of my wrist and I heard a man's voice asking, 'Are you ill, madame?' "I didn't know what I said, but he put his arm through mine, led me into a little cafe where he made me drink something called a cab and asked me where I lived.

"In the light of the cafe I had a chance to look at him when the brandy made me feel a little warmer. I know by his accent that he was an Englishman. He had curly brown hair and a pink and white skin—altogether a nice-looking young man! He seemed to be less than thirty, and he talked and acted toward me as he would have if I had been his sister.

"When the cab came he wanted to take me home in it. I told him that I had no place to go and begged him to go away and leave me. He sat down again and I don't remember how much of my story I told him.

Fainted in Cab.

"He told me afterward that I fainted in the cab; but when I could understand things clearly once more I was lying in a big soft bed in a beautifully furnished room. There were pictures and statues and heavy draperies everywhere. Folds and arms and books were scattered about. There was a little table covered with bottles beside my bed and a nurse sitting near by.

When she saw that I was awake she told me that I was in the Englishman's apartment and that I had been delirious for three weeks.

"In a little while he came in and told me how he had brought me home and had sent for a doctor and nurse. The doctor said that I had narrowly escaped brain fever. I went to sleep again in a little while and did not wake until the next day. The nurse stayed beside me a week after that and he came into my room and sat and talked to me by the hour. He told me all about himself. He was the son of a wealthy English family and had dropped in love for painting which he had ample money to cultivate.

"He was a bright, cheerful young fellow and in his company and through his care I grew strong rapidly. He never asked me to tell him one word about my past or my plans for the future. When I was able to sit up comfortably in bed he brought his easel and a set of oil paints and painted me. He was given honorable mention for it.

"All this time I was worrying about what I was to do when I was strong enough to leave his rooms. I made up my mind that I would try to find work of some sort in the millinery shops. One day I mentioned to him that I would be starting in a short time, and he wore very grave and asked me what I intended doing. I told him and he pointed out the plan.

"In all this time he had not asked me as much as given me a passionate glance.

"He insisted, when I was able to go out, that I should go to live in the flat he had established in a place where I could have a living, and behaved me the money to get clothes that I needed. I did not like him, but I worshipped him for his goodness.

"It was disappointing work—trying to find employment, and I could not make enough to live on decently. I had never had to be very careful of money before, and I did not know how. He advised me, and helped me, cheered me all he could, and I was making a few francs a week trimming hats, and we began telling our experiences of the day those little suppers were almost merry. It was going to hate my husband with a hate that will be with me till I die," and the glow of her dark eyes put the seal of truth on the words, "and when John—my Englishman—told me jokes and blunders, the boy got clothes that I needed. I did not hurt so much.

Lost Her Position

"Then I lost my miserable position, and it was days before I got another, although it was a better one when I did find it. During that time he was even more thoughtful and attentive and did not give me a chance to feel hopeless very long.

"We ate supper together every night, we were sitting in the room where I had met him first and we were telling one another laughs, about a picture that a fellow student was painting. An [illegible] handsome face and listened to his cheery talk I thought of all that he had done for me—that he had asked for nothing and received nothing but my empty words of gratitude—and my eyes filled with tears. The next moment I was kneeling before his chair, kissing his hands.

"His story stopped with a gasp, and I felt him raise me up to him and I threw my arms around his neck and—[illegible] again. And [illegible] that night [illegible] * * * to give.

"He never really loved me, but he was happy with me for a long time, and when he went back to England he took me with him. His home was in one of the finest parts from London, where he found apartments for me, and he was with me more than he was at home.

"Finally his visits were not so frequent and regular and they kept falling off, until I was a lady in a flat and he came only three weeks. When he came he told me he had to tell me something that he was afraid would hurt me, but he couldn't help it. He had fallen in love with an English girl whom he had known all his life, and hoped to marry her; so he would have to break with me. He was always very liberal in money matters, and he wanted to keep on sending me the same allowance that he had been giving me, for I settled in London. But I was too proud—then—to take it. I borrowed together what money I had saved, packed my clothes and left that day.

"I took cheap room and started out to find work again. I was given a place as clerk in a millinery store and by living as carefully as I could I did not have to draw often on my savings. But I had to draw on them a little and I was beginning to feel reckless, when an American theatrical man, who was spending part of the Summer in England came into the store one day to buy some ladies' gloves. I waited on him, and—well, in a few days I left my cheap room, and that Fall I went back to New York with him.

"He wasn't as careful of my feelings as the Englishman was—'You'll find that out, my girl,' she broke off, with a grin of drunken cynicism. "After the first two times your lovers don't think much about your feelings. He left me destitute in less than a month after we got to New York.

"I tried to get work but I couldn't. The woman where I roomed took all of my clothes except those I had on, to pay for my room, and turned me out. I walked the streets all that night and the next day without anything to eat, and the next night I stopped a well-dressed man and asked him if he could give me enough money to get some food. He walked on as if he had not heard me, and then next instant a man stepped out of a doorway and told me I was under arrest!

Spent Night in Cell.

"He took me to a police station where I spent the rest of the night in cell, and the next morning I was taken to court. The detective who had arrested me told the judge that he had seen me speak to a strange man on the street, and the judge gave me my choice of paying a fine of twenty-five francs or going to prison for a month. I tried to explain that I had had nothing to eat for two days and that I had only asked the man for a little money, but I was told that I could go to jail if they were about to take me away to prison, as I had seen them take three or four girls before me. I paid a young man, very stylishly dressed, came forward and paid the fine, and I left the police clerk took his money and he led me out of the courtroom.

"When we were outside I tried to thank him, but I was so weak with hunger and weariness that I could hardly speak or see. He told me to go to a restaurant a few steps away and made me eat until I felt that I could never eat another again. During breakfast he learned that I was without funds or penniless, and he said he would help me. I went with him and he took me to a little flat where he stayed all day.

"That night he took me out, saying that he would get me a room of my own. We went to a nice-looking house not far from one of the main streets of the city, where a pleasant woman met us at the door. He asked me to sit down while he explained about me to the woman and when she came to me to show me to my room she was very kind.

The next morning my clothes were gone from my room and there was nothing in its place but a low-cut wrapper that I couldn't wear on the street. I was a prisoner.

"I was in that house for more than a year and I made sometimes seventy-five—a hundred—a hundred and fifty francs in a day and a night, but I was never allowed to keep any of the money. The woman took part of it and the man who brought me there got the rest. I was on the point of trying to run away two or three times, but the girls in the house told me that I would be arrested and sent to prison and would have to come back to this in the end. Several of them had tried when they were first made prisoners.

"The voice that had been dispassionate, and strangely impersonal through the latter part of the story, suddenly ceased. Jacqueline gulped at the cigarette again and lit the cigarette she had been holding in her fingers. She was standing by the table, and leaned up to her, with something between a sob and a shudder.

"I'll tell you the half whisppered.

The woman once more burst into a harsh, eerie laugh.

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Desperate Desmond

A Continued Picture Drama of Love and Hate, with a Thrill in Its Every Picture

Yes, dear reader, that is Claude Eclaire wrapped up in the rug. And the gent with the cruel sneer on his lips is Desperate Desmond, who thinks now that he has our hero at his mercy he will be able to force sweet Rosamond to accompany him. He will never succeed in his fell purpose, and that goes.

See, the villain is secreting Claude in case of the ship's inspectors, so he can get back to the United States without paying his fare. But what will Claude do for eats on the way across? We regret to say we do not know, and it's a cinch Desmond doesn't care. Perhaps Rosamond will slip him a sandwich or two.

Six days have elapsed and the Benitlania is now approaching New York. It has been a tempestuous voyage, and the lifeboats are filled with snow, much to Claude's discomfort. Now that the ship is nearing port the captains orders are being cleared off, so people won't think they come from the Arctic regions.

Sailors don't like work any more than you do, and they figure that the easiest way to get the snow out of the boat is to turn it upside down, which they promptly do, with the result that our brave hero is dumped into the briny deep with the rug. Poor fellow! He'll never be able to swim with such a handicap.

But as luck will have it, the harbor is frozen over, and Claude lands on the ice. You might think this would suit Desmond to a T, but it doesn't. He has planned out a very elaborate and terrifying finish for Claude, and he does not propose to be cheated of his revenge. That's why he is leaving the ship.

Grabbing up the rug with its living occupant and cursing, Rosamond is not to help him carry the burden, the villain skates rapidly toward the shore. But who comes yonder? Ah, 'tis one of Collector Loeb's trusty minions, and he thinks Desmond is trying to smuggle that rug in without paying duty. For further details see tomorrow's papers.

The Manicure Lady

She Pulls the Bank Failure Stall

"GEORGE," said the Manicure Lady, "I can't pay you back that fifteen cents I borrowed from you for carfare the other night. As soon as I get a customer I'll pass it along, but there ain't been a soul moved over toward my table all the forenoon, and I don't know when one is going to come. Gee, but times is hard."

"You don't need to worry about change, kiddo," said the Head Barber. "I got all I need for the present. What makes you so blue this morning?"

"It's them banks," said the Manicure Lady. "If it hadn't been for one failing I would have been able to pay you back that fifteen cents. And I think it's a shame, too, that the most of the people stung is people which can't afford it. We had to stand off the butcher and the grocer, too."

"There is one thing about the banks failing," observed the Head Barber; "when a bank or two fails, it gives people that never had a speaking acquaintance with a paying teller a grand chance to stall off their creditors. I had a shop of my own when one of them failed a few years ago, and all I got from the men that owned me money sat stalls. This one had a thousand tied up in the failed bank, the other had six hundred, the other had nine hundred. It would knock the eye out of you the number of my debtors that had been saving coin and standing me off all the while for shaves."

On the General Situation

The Manicure Lady began to freeze up. "I hope you ain't got the nerve, George," she said, calmly but frigidly, "to insinuate that I am using the bank failure to stall you off about that fifteen cents. If I thought that I would borrow fifteen cents from one of the Guinea bootblacks and give it to you, all in pennies."

"Let your mind be easy on that, kiddo," said the Head Barber. "I know that you are good for fifteen cents, or even twice that amount. I was only working off a little talk about the general situation. I think you will agree with me that when a bank fails there is two distinct drawbacks—one being that the folks with real money in the bank can't get it out, and the other being that folks that never had money anywhere claim to have been stung."

"Something must be did before long," said the Head Barber. "It's all right for a lot of people to get stung in times or four banks, and then to have Kid Morgan come to the front and restore confidence. Why doesn't he take the money and back the banks that has failed, so the real losers can get the money they saved? Neat."

Laughs for Everyone

The best jokes are found every Sunday in the great City Life Section of the AMERICAN. It is full of things you can't afford to miss.

Paris Styles

Dress the hair in puff-curl effects and bandeau decorations.

Handsome moire bags are sometimes trimmed with gilt.

Fancy Hercules and Titan braids are the elect of the season.

It is predicted that stripes will be worn many inches sleeves.

Big white flowers, poppies, edelweiss, etc., in velvet or in silk appear upon some of the latest large hats.

Are We Bad Mannered?

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

TWO girls, both young, rather pretty and extremely poor, were standing in a crowded subway car.

Several elderly men were sitting down.

"Hm-m-m," said one of the girls, in a markedly loud voice, "great line of politeness you see on these cars, don't you, Susie? The poor men are tired, I suppose, but the ladies can stand, no matter how tired they are!"

"Don't you care," said Susie, consolingly; "I'd hate to see them hurt themselves by being polite."

Neither man nor boys made the slightest move toward offering the indignant "ladies" a seat, and I for one did not blame them.

The "aggressive" woman gets little in the way of unnecessary courtesies from men. She antagonizes them, and they treat her as they would a man.

I have yet to meet the woman who makes much headway by demanding brusquely where she might request gently.

Of course, there are men on whom politeness is thrown away; they must be sledge-hammered, if you would make an impression on them.

True Effectiveness

You may notice that the woman who enters a car and looks fiercely at every man who happens to be seated, as though she would say, "Brute, how dare you sit while I stand?" usually continues to stand.

But if she looks sweetly pathetic and fatigued, some gallant gentleman offers her a seat.

Woman has her rights, my sisters, and many, many of them, but she holds them principally because man loves to give them to her.

When a man offers his seat in the public car a courtesy car and she takes it without a word of thanks, can you blame me for fearing that his politeness has been thrown away?

Very often it happens that a thoroughly tired man offers his seat to a woman who has done nothing but go to a matinee and sit all afternoon.

Some women make the mistake of refusing a seat from the outset, and saying, "You are more tired than I, keep your seat."

The Better Part

He is more tired, but it appears some to have his offer declined.

It is better to accept it graciously. Unquestionably it looks very bad to see a young man sitting down while a woman of an older generation stands.

In justice to all our young men I must say that I would prefer holding a child tenderly than a seat.

But the men do become absorbed in their newspapers and allow other people to stand, and it reflects sadly on the manners of young America.

There is no place where good manners, of the kind that please others, count more than in public conveyances. The men need to cultivate chivalry, the women need to cultivate graciousness, and until they do we shall be accused of bad manners as a nation.

"US BOYS"

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"THE GAMBLERS"

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Synopsis of Preceding Instalments

The story opens at a fashionable wedding in New York. Among the guests is Wilbur Emerson, a young banker. He and the bride, Catherine Darwin, have been friends from childhood, but it is not until he sees her married to another that Wilbur realizes that he loves her. Fearing that some of the other guests will notice his mental distress and guess the reason for it, he hastily leaves the church and goes for a long walk in the park where he can be alone with his thoughts. He decides to try to forget his love for Catherine by plunging with renewed energy into business.

Wilbur's father, John Emerson, is a conservative broker. Wilbur is anxious to organize the business along modern lines, and, after much persuasion, obtains his father's consent. He immediately consults with Fred Tooker, another banker, and begins to lay plans for enlarging their influence.

CHAPTER III.—(Continued)

"I DON'T see anything wrong with the scheme, Emerson, or you can gamble that I wouldn't be going in, book, line and sinker, but there's one thing that possibly you haven't considered as deeply as I have, and that's what I wanted to talk to you about.

"Of course, you know that we are not going to parade into millions down a balmy path of roses. This crowd"—he nodded toward the windows that looked down into Wall Street—"are not going to let us get very big if they can help it. They want all of it themselves.

Launched

"Personally, I don't think they can stop us. We've got too much cash. Now, you're going to run this thing and you're going to run it unpursued by superfluous suggestions from me. My last word in: Don't let them watch us short of cash or they may bang up our hides on those iron pickets in front of Trinity as a warning to anybody else who is thinking about butting into their game."

Emerson laughed, and Tooker joined him with a grin that was only half mirthful.

"Well, every slouch time, Fred," said the young man. "We'll take care that they don't catch us napping."

Within sixty days, hours after this conversation, the new banking company was launched and the ball to roll. It duly incorporated now the beginning of the activity of Wilbur Emerson as a power in Wall Street.

Emerson is no need to go into the details of the formation of the chain of banks, the story of the panic, the combinations, the of the tricks, of the duels, of the pitched battles through months with the romance of money—would read like a financial statement from a financial journal.

But there was one little group of men who met formally or informally every day, that never missed a move of the new Rupert of finance or a detail or skirmish of his campaign.

They watched with keen interest that was nothing of with alarm, though his bank sprang up over night and took business away from their own in a day. They ate as calmly and slept as well as if young Emerson had not persuaded his father to let him poach on their preserves.

They knew just how much cash he had; how much he had in instantly convertible securities, and how much in solid securities that could be readily marketable. They were waiting—waiting. Every time he opened a new bank, they smiled and muttered: "Pretty soon."

Counter Plot

At last he had a string of twelve banks all going along nicely but he had wrung the last drop of blood from his resources to establish them. It was now only a question of months until every one of them would be in condition to weather any sort of financial storm.

It was at this time that the little group of men, aforementioned, met one afternoon as usual. They yawned and looked into each other's eyes and smiled a little wearily.

"Well," said one of them, languidly, "I guess we might as well go and do it now."

The others grunted assent and nodded, and then they went out and hurled a few million dollars' worth of stock at a reckless market.

The market gasped and staggered.

The gentlement were mildly surprised that it only gasped and staggered, so they belted it with a few millions more.

The market reeled, and there was a scramble to get out from under.

Another blow.

The market came down in ruins, and men with foam-flecked lips fought and battled at the tellers' windows in the banks and brokerage offices.

Their gods had stricken them with the madness of panic.

And their cries went out over the face of the land and all that the sound reached were driven mad.

The merchant closed the shutters of his counting-room.

The factory fires were drawn.

The steamboats were tied up to the levees and docks and the rolling stock dozed in the railroad yards.

White-faced, tortured men put pistols to their temples. Hollow-eyed women and children cried for food that was not given them.

The Blow

The world shuddered.

All this had been done by that little group of men in "the crooked street between a graveyard and a river" on that afternoon they decided that Wall Emerson must be obliterated from the map of the money-world.

And Emerson? He looked at the ticker and thought that he had gone crazy. He called up a trusted broker and in a few minutes the situation was made clear. When he hung up the receiver he leaned back to collect his thoughts he was paler than he had ever been in his life, but he was calm and confident. The final, the decisive struggle was upon him at last.

He was not such an optimist as to think that this was a chance break. Public confidence had never been better. The market had been deliberately broken and just at the moment when the banks were in their most delicate condition. He knew what had happened just as well as if he had been present at the meeting that day.

Before he could even get his composure action with his banks, Tooker dashed into his private office. He had been out to lunch.

"Billy! Emerson!" he gasped. "Have you seen—"

"Yes, I saw, Fred," nodded the younger man, calmly. "Let's not get excited about it until we see how badly we're hurt."

Tooker flushed with shame. He was proud of his nerve and he hated to think that Emerson had seen the sudden catastrophe shake him off his balance.

"Have you heard from the banks yet?" he asked in a low, but calm and even voice.

Frightened Sheep

"I was just about to begin calling up when you came in," he answered. "They won't have had time to hit the uptown places, but there must be some lively dogging around here.

"Listen!"

The voice of the street had changed from its usual busy roar to a high, sustained, terrified scream. Emerson reached for the 'phone and at that the hatless figure of Raymond, closely followed by Cowper, hurled through the door. The latter was too frightened to speak, but Raymond shouted, shrieked:

"My God, Emerson! What has happened?"

"Why, Raymond," he replied, quietly, "it looks to me as if the other crowd had at last started out to get us and had knocked the props out from under the market as the first move."

"My God!" exclaimed Raymond again. "Can't we do something? Can't we get under the market?"

Emerson smiled faintly.

"Get under your grandstone!" cut in Tooker, from the ticker. "Come down here, Raymond, and look at this ticker and don't talk nonsense. Get under, I'll eh? Whew! I wouldn't get under it if I got butte me a bomb-proof."

"Well, are you going to sit there and watch things go to smash?" shouted Raymond. "What are you going to do?"

Emerson settled back in his chair with an exasperating air of comfort.

"I don't know yet that it's necessary to do anything," he replied, calmly. "Tooker and I were just talking over the possibility of something in case of emergencies when you gentlemen came in. You are invited to join the conference. Ah! that reminds me!"

The Run Began

He picked up one of the phones.

"Nine, nine, four, eleven Lenox," he said. "Hello! Call father please? Thomas.

"Hello, dad! I just wanted to tell you that there's a little flurry in the Street, and not to be alarmed. No, you needn't come up to-night. Yes. All right. Good-bye!"

"Little flurry he d—d!" growled Raymond, who was pacing nervously up and down the little room chewing an extinct cigar with savage bites.

"It's appalling!" came in little more than a whisper from Cowper's white lips. "They're taking money out of the downtown banks a little at a thousand dollars a second, and now they're beginning upstairs!"

The bravest man in the room felt his heart skip a beat or two. The dreaded had come at last. But Emerson glanced coolly at the ticker.

"I know if that were so, George," he said with a reassuring smile, "we could stand it until closing time."

"I know something like this would happen," groaned Raymond. "I was against all of this."

"Oh, shut up, Raymond, until you can think of something to say!" interrupted Tooker patiently. He sympathized with Emerson—a general who had to stiffen his own pillars before he could face the enemy. They were all silent for a few minutes, thinking hard. At last Emerson spoke:

"There doesn't seem to be anything we can do excepting to pray for the storm to break. Now I'll tell you—"

The jangle of the telephone on his desk interrupted him.

"Hello!" he said—and that was all. The manager of the Emerson Bank had fled him that the Clearing House had refused their paper."

Trimly erect calmly before Emerson's eyes, but he managed to say good-bye calmly and, face his partners in a natural manner. Before they could open their mouths to make inquiries, he began to speak rapidly.

"Now, listen, gentlemen! This is no time for us to be moaning around here or in our banks. We can do no good there. Let every man get out and hustle all he knows and get up to my house by midnight to-night and report the last dollar the millions, and yet they might lose a large part of their money and be driven to close out at a fearful loss for the lack of a little ready cash.

They had forty or fifty millions of dollars in paper that was as good as cash at any other time. Now, all of it was not nearly as useful as a couple of millions in gold.

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"Why, Raymond," he replied, quietly, "it looks to me as if the other crowd had at last started out to get us and had knocked the props out from under the market as the first move."

"My God!" exclaimed Raymond again. "Can't we do something? Can't we get under the market?"

Emerson smiled faintly.

"Get under your grandstone!" cut in Tooker, from the ticker. "Come down here, Raymond, and look at this ticker and don't talk nonsense. Get under, I'll eh? Whew! I wouldn't get under it if I got butte me a bomb-proof."

"Well, are you going to sit there and watch things go to smash?" shouted Raymond. "What are you going to do?"

Emerson settled back in his chair with an exasperating air of comfort.

"I don't know yet that it's necessary to do anything," he replied, calmly. "Tooker and I were just talking over the possibility of something in case of emergencies when you gentlemen came in. You are invited to join the conference. Ah! that reminds me!"

The Run Began

He picked up one of the phones.

"Nine, nine, four, eleven Lenox," he said. "Hello! Call father please? Thomas.

"Hello, dad! I just wanted to tell you that there's a little flurry in the Street, and not to be alarmed. No, you needn't come up to-night. Yes. All right. Good-bye!"

"Little flurry he d—d!" growled Raymond, who was pacing nervously up and down the little room chewing an extinct cigar with savage bites.

"It's appalling!" came in little more than a whisper from Cowper's white lips. "They're taking money out of the downtown banks a little at a thousand dollars a second, and now they're beginning upstairs!"

The bravest man in the room felt his heart skip a beat or two. The dreaded had come at last. But Emerson glanced coolly at the ticker.

"I know if that were so, George," he said with a reassuring smile, "we could stand it until closing time."

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The Latest Fashions

Up-to-date styles are one of the notable features of the Sunday AMERICAN. They are described by leading authorities and illustrated by the best artists.

Health and Beauty Queries

BY MRS. MAE MARTYN.

Julia M.: It is natural to grow heavier during cold weather and thin down in warm weather. But increasing or decreasing is not healthful, and I would suggest a simple treatment which is undoubtedly for taking off flesh. Get from the druggist four ounces of parrotia and dissolve it in a pint of hot water. Take a spoonful of this before each meal with enough hot water to make it palatable, and apply to the face with soft cloth. This treatment is harmless, costs little and requires no reducing, but you must be sure to get parrotia.

Elsie L.: It is ungallant for your sweetheart to chide you about the downy growth on your face, but it is true that many simple directions the hair can be easily removed. Buy an ounce of delatone from your druggist, mix a little with enough water to make a paste, and apply to the hairy surface. Let remain for two or three minutes, then rub off and wash the surface well. While delatone is a little expensive, one application usually suffices.

Mary: Stop using face powders and try this: Dissolve one tablespoonful of sulphur and your complexion will soon resume its natural healthy appearance. Get from your druggist a spermax in one-half pint pot of witch hazel and a pint of pure rose water, and shake well and let cool. This applied to the skin's surface after washing clears away all sallowness and gives it a pink and white glow not obtainable with powder or rouge. Any druggist can supply spermax, and it is inexpensive.

Hermes: Face lotions will not rid your face of its sallow look if your liver needs attention. This condition is caused through impurities in the blood finding their way to the skin's surface. What you require is a blood cleanser and system tonic, and if you will procure this inexpensive recipe, the skin will become clear and you will feel much better: Get an ounce of saxtess from your druggist and dissolve in one-half pint alcohol, adding one-half cup sugar, then hot water to make a quart. Take a tablespoonful before each meal, and I'm sure you will find it excellent.

Bride: Here is a splendid recipe for making your eyebrows and lashes grow heavy and glossy: Get from your druggist a small package of sulphur and a small package of cream. Dissolve an ounce of sulphur in a half-pint of cold water, add two teaspoonfuls of glycerin, stir well and let stand for a few hours. Nightly before retiring rub the lashes and brows, this softens the skin and removes blackheads. Then apply a plain hot water to the face that perfect glow of youthful health. You will find almonds inexpensive and any druggist can supply it.

Anna G.: The condition you describe is evidently one of scalp, but is likely caused through using fashionable hair shampoo mixtures, which have robbed the scalp of all natural oils necessary to keep it in a healthy condition. I am sure that a course of delatone will rid you of dandruff and dissolve a teaspoonful in a cup of hot water, and apply to the scalp one good shampoo, and although its cost is a trifle more than ordinary soap it corrects the dry, scaly condition of the scalp. It should be applied to the quassia hair tonic, mentioned in my last paragraph, as it is a splendid tonic in all cases and hair troubles.

Maxine: Your thin, straggly, falling hair with dandruff is due to a starved condition of the hair roots, and a good scalp tonic does not call for any elaborate treatment. If you make up the following simple and inexpensive preparation you will obtain quick relief: Get an ounce of cryptos from the drug store and dissolve in a pint of warm water, and apply before each meal, and I'm sure you will find it excellent.

With twelve banks as solvent as the Bank of England, they were about to be ruined for the lack of a little cash!

It was the law, and there was justice in that, Emerson asked himself.

Because a little clique of men had decided that they, and they only, should engage in the banking business and a large senile and had skillfully secured control of the medium—the actual coin—should five honest men and women be driven to ruin and disgrace?

Should they be made to walk through life with the burden of the disasters of bankruptcy on their backs upon their souls because a merciless plutocrat had called a trifling technical violation of the law—a law that the enemies violated—by one of their lives—he could put his hands on $4,000,000 in gold?

His own interests and the interests of thousands of innocent and trusting men had been placed in jeopardy by a deliberate, criminal conspiracy.

Had he not the right to fight them with their own weapons?

Who would be injured but these men who had plunged the nation into a frightful panic for their own selfish purposes?

(To Be Continued To-morrow.)

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BIRTHDAY SALE BY JORDAN CO.

A sixtieth birthday anniversary sale began at the Jordan Marsh Co. store today and will last six days. The company stands out sixty prosperous years today and is signalizing the event by offering many bargains. Every department is participating in the event, and patrons will find a vast stock of goods appropriate to the season offered at prices which make high values for little money.

The importance of the sale may perhaps be better appreciated when it is stated that 1870 bargain lists of merchandise were secured especially for it, in addition to the stock already on hand, and will be offered. It is announced, at prices never equaled in this house before.

Thousand Extra Clerks.

No less than 1,000 extra clerks and other help have been engaged for the two day sale. It is believed that the prices will make it an epoch event in the memory of customers.

The preparations made for the sale have been elaborate. For a year buyers in various departments have been seeking goods which were of high quality to be offered at tempting prices in economical adoption.

The block in the Jordan Marsh Co. establishment is so big that even the great throng which crowds the premises on day cannot make great inroads upon the larger piles. There will be enough left to make the sale to-morrow worth inspection by anybody who is striving to get the most for his or her money.

Expects to Break Record.

Other birthday sales at this house have been so satisfactory to the buying public that the present one has been looked forward to with eagerness all over New England. The management expects to break all sales records to-day and to-morrow. The birthday sale of 1910 was the most remarkable retail business event in the history of the Jordan Marsh Co., but it is believed that the 1911 sale will surpass it.

GOSSIP LEADS WOMAN TO KILL GIRL CLERK

FORT WORTH, Tex., Jan. 17.—That gossip led Mrs. T. M. Brooks, the wife of a wealthy and prominent lawyer, to shoot Mrs. Mary Binford, a handsome, young saleswoman to death, was the only tangible clew evolved by the authorities today in their investigation of the tragedy. Mrs. Brooks is in a state of collapse at her home, and refuses to discuss the crime. The coroner summoned witnesses for the inquest, although it may have to be postponed on account of the condition of Mrs. Brooks, who is at liberty on $10,000 bail.

DOG BIT LETTER CARRIER.

Because the big Newfoundland dog owned by James O'Connell of No. 16 West Sixth street, South Boston, did not like the uniform of Uncle Sam's letter carriers and bit Carrier Michael Brennan of the South Boston postal district, Judge Fulton, in the South Boston District Court, to-day fined O'Connell $10 for keeping a biting dog. O'Connell paid the fine.

"DOLLAR PRINCESS" WORTH MORE

Newest Musical Comedy at the Colonial a Delightful Entertainment.

By NICHOLAS YOUNG.

You never can tell in these days of the strident evolution whether the road to musical comedy is going to drag you through side streets and across back lots to some indoor circus, or lead you into pleasant fields where the sun shines brightly and you are not choked with bad vaudeville. You have been misled so many times that the words "musical comedy" no longer lure you blindly into the foolish spending of money.

But your faith returned last evening with "The Dollar Princess," which transformed the Colonial Theatre into a fragrant garden of melody and a riot of gay tunes and shrieking singers, but a delicate, inviting cluster of exhilarating songs that

Donald Brian and Daisy Leflay in "The Dollar Princess" at the Colonial Theatre.

were delightfully set into brisk, entertaining comedy of exceptionally superior structure. Made over into plain American goods, "The Dollar Princess" acquired nothing that could bring unhappiness to Broadway parents.

You nearly recognized old friends, however, when Donald Brian took to waltzing. It is a long step from "The Merry Widow" to "The Dollar Princess," but the waltzing tendencies of Prince Danilo of the former and Freddy Smythe of the latter were soon unlike to bespeak to the same family. Mr. Brian plunged into the whirling waltz with no lounge of the consequence we was common prey for every woman in the east whose soul and feet felt summons of Lew Fields' exquisite music. There was an inspiration in the melodies that kept the audience eager and friendly.

"The Dollar Princess," you discovered, was a stage solution of the American heiress problem. While things were no more drastic than you could expect in musical comedy, there was a grain of humor in the idea of putting the gifted son of a decrepit aristocracy to work as footmen, grooms and general hangers-on in the residence of a coal baron. Of course, it did not save the coal baron's millions, for his daughter captured a secretary, and his niece led a pretty rake to the altar with a marquis employed as a footman. But the humor of the situations caught you fairly and squarely. In fact, there was an appealing charm to the book that was not lost upon the audience, and the musical numbers were irresistible.

Mr. West's Vest.

It was impossible to avoid the enlivening humor of Will West, who played Ivan Tarkoff with an English accent as a guarantee of his spotted vest. Mr. West rather fancied his job and he kept right at it from the middle of the second act to the end of the piece. Albert Hart gave about 60 feet 5 inches to the role of Tom Pendexter and took excellent care of himself. He made a brilliant success of his appearance on the stage. Daisy Leflay sang herself into the good opinion of her audience chanting Lolli McGowan was easily the prettiest flower in the garden. Hilda Thing smiled sweetly and sang a few songs with considerable effort. Edward Connelly was the best natural comedian the stage has produced. If it were left to him coal would be selling at 50 cents a ton.

"The Dollar Princess" was as refreshing as its pretty tunes and alluring company could make it. Those who like musical comedy of the better kind cannot afford to miss it.

Boston Theatre.

The charm of youth which it seems will never desert her and the artistry that has always been hers were never displayed in greater wealth by Sarah Bernhardt than in "La Samaritaine" (The Woman of Samaria) at the Boston Theatre last night. The play by Rostand in three acts is a picture from the Bible—a living picture that loses none of its tender gulfes by transferring it from the sacred historical setting to the three real boards. Only in the hands of master artists could it be done without the sounding of a discordant note.

It would be distinctly startling to many to see the figure of Jesus depicted on the stage. Jesus as he talked and walked with his disciples and as he mingled with the incredulous throng, parrying the sneers and turning their revilings into prayers for pity. Yet Jesus was one of the many characters of the play, and he was depicted so he met the "woman of Samaria" at the well and won her heart, turning her into an ardent apostle. M. Mauclair acted the part of Jesus in such a way as to convince in a manner that the blood of the beholder was not to be chilled.

The Christ presented was that of the most generally accepted in the paintings of great artists. Tall, well built, of strong even features, with blond hair and beard and with a long flowing robe of whitish material, one saw the picture as he had seen it many times before on canvas, and as he had read of it in the Scriptures, when he looked at M. Mauclair.

But the greatest interest was naturally in Mme. Bernhardt. She appeared at the well with a water jar. Jesus was there. The Samaritan looked at him, and then would not give him a drink. She was the woman of the world, but she was strikingly beautiful, attractively dressed young woman. Not a girl, but a woman full of the fire and vitality of youth. A light song on her lips. She floated Jesus coquettishly.

Jesus pleaded with her—won her. She return to the town now by and by a transformed woman. Her words to the people won over the people to Jesus with her eloquence. Then she returned to the well, where Jesus was with the town's people as converts.

This gives but a faint idea of the entrancing scenes that followed one another, dominated by the two great characters—Jesus and the Woman of Samaria. In these Mme. Bernhardt an opportunity to bring into play her wonderful facial powers, the witchery of her eyes, the eloquence of her arms and slender hands, the sinuosity of her figure. But never in the period that I have seen the velvet music of her voice. To see Mme. Sarah's acting on Monday night explains why she has been called "Sarah, the Divine!"

Keith's.

Eva Tanguay, the irrepressible, is again at Keith's this week and crowding the house to the doors. She has a new bunch of songs all about herself, and her "personality," as she calls it. From the moment her act opens until she makes her bow to the last encore she keeps the house in a riot. She is a veritable cyclone in action and the way she raves around the stage, her facial grimaces and the manner the songs she sings all seem to bear out her own statements that she is crazy about her so, and the best you'll get is, "I don't care!"

Ed. Walter Thompson and his fox terriers do a fine animal act. Sam Lee and Sam Kreslere in their "Dutch" specialty. Come to some fine dancing and Munroe Hopkins, Lena Ricardo and Piano Boys in a big hit in their sleeping-car scene. The

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DIVIDEND NO. 87

A quarterly dividend of three (3) per cent has been declared payable February 1st, 1911, to stockholders of record at the close of business, January 20th, 1911.

THOMAS K. CUMMINS, Treasurer.

Boston, January 10th, 1911.

Bernhardt Gives a Charming Performance of Rostand's "Woman of Samaria."

Grand Opera House.

After a complete view of "The White Captive" at the Grand Opera House last evening there was no longer any sound reason to doubt that it was the "very latest" in scenario. Of course, the old familiar features were there, from real Indians and cowboys to thrilling escapes from death by the hero and heroine. But where in modern drama was the aeroplane and wireless telegraphy joined hands to prevent evil and punish sundry rascals? Where, you ask? Why, in "The White Captive," of course, where you were served a thrill a minute yesterday.

Howard Athenaeum.

There was something of a local interest in the new show at the Old Howard yesterday, for Miss Helen Lawton, a South Boston girl, was happily complimented in the "Miss New York, Jr." company. Everything that is popular in burlesque was sampled by this revelling band of entertainers. In the vaudeville section of the program Artie Hill, billed as a Coon Shouter, caught the fancy of the audience. The show was continuous.

Plays That Remain.

John Craig has gracefully obeyed the public demand and will continue "Jack and the Beanstalk" for two weeks longer at the Castle Square Theatre. Capacity business has become a habit at the Castle Square.

"Madame X" retains its wonderful grip on public fancy with the result that the new week began at the Majestic last evening found the theatre crowded to the doors.

It is a distinctly human play that is drawing people to the Hollis Street Theatre, and the skilful acting of David Warfield is making "The Return of Peter Grimm" especially appealing.

Marie Cahill easily holds first place among the entertaining women of the musical comedy stage, and at the Shubert Theatre her "Judy Forgot" is putting everyone in good humor.

"Seven Lights" began a new week at the Park Theatre yesterday, with William Courtenay giving a splendid performance of the role of a fashionable thief.

There is always something about the "Follies" that draws appreciative audiences, and the usual rule of things in that particular is being maintained at the Tremont.

"The Rosary" continues its righteous way at the Globe Theatre, where Harrington Reynolds is giving a powerful impersonation of the pious Father Kelly.

Waldron's Casino.

Bob Manchester's well-known "Cracker Jacks" dropped in at Waldron's Casino theatre yesterday and agreed a mantle of fun over two lively performances. Two spirited burlettas and an olio of vaudeville go to make up the program.

Columbia Theatre.

"The Passing Parade," with a host of pretty girls and several hard working comedians, put the elixir of life into two performances at the Columbia Theatre yesterday. Spirited songs and a number of real novelties made the show well worth while.

Bowdoin Square Theatre.

Pictures and vaudeville make up an interesting program at the Bowdoin Square Theatre. Several new novelties were discovered yesterday.

Austin & Stone's.

The new show at Austin & Stone's Museum yesterday contained many enlivening features that should make both the curio hall and theatre especially popular this week.

Hub Theatre.

The Hub Theatre is peers of what its patronage deserves, as patrons of that house discovered yesterday when the new list of acts was presented. The pictures were also good.

Scenic Temple.

By carefully guarding its program against untidy features the Scenic Temple has won a large patronage of women and children. The new show yesterday proved popular.

Gaiety Theatre.

"The Big Banner Show" at the Gaiety Theatre yesterday furnished Edward Gallager and Al. Sheau many opportunities for lively fun making. The entertainment is well suited to the large audience. Of course there were many stunning girls.

Holmes's Travelogues.

The second series of Burton Holmes's lectures at Tremont Temple will be given next Friday evening and Saturday afternoon, and his subject will be "The Pasadon Pageant." New moving pictures will be shown.

New Plays Next Week.

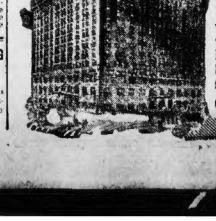
"The Balkan Princess" will come to the Shubert next Monday.

"The Maestro's Masterpiece" will begin a two weeks' engagement at the Boston next Monday.

William H. Crane in "U. S. Minister Bud" will be the attraction at the Park on January 30.

Orpheum Theatre.

There was a great deal of variety in the new program at the Orpheum Theatre yesterday. Among the most popular events on the bill was that furnished by Hamilton, Coleman & Co., who were seen in a lively comedy sketch called "The Inheritance." A dozen other novelties and a long list of new motion pictures completed one of the best entertainments of the season at this house.



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TO-DAY'S STOCK MARKETS

STOCKS STRONG, SHOWING GAINS

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Pronounced strength and activity, with prices of most stocks, particularly the standard railroad shares, moving by gains of from fractions to three points, ruled during the early trading in Wall street to-day.

Canadian Pacific, with a net gain of 3¼ points, was the leader of the railroad stocks. Within the first hour it moved up to 210¾, a new high record for this stock.

Union Pacific moved up 1 point, while Southern Pacific and Northern Pacific were quoting gains averaging ⅝ of a point each. Norfolk & Western went up 1¼ points to 105¾. Reading was another factor in this group, scoring an initial advance of almost a point. New York Central was quoting a fractional gain in the first hour. Steel common was strong and active, jumping 1 point to within a fraction of 77.

The copper stocks were strong under leadership of Amalgamated, which rose to within a fraction of 65.

The curb was quiet and dull, with prices of stocks not materially changed over Monday's closing.

Americans were strong in London. The copper stocks were exceptionally active.

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices for the leading Boston stocks to noon:

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
N. Y., N. H. & H.	140¾	140⅝	140⅝

MINING STOCKS.

Arizona Commercial	14	13¾	14
Calumet & Arizona	67	67	67
Calumet & Hecla	525	515	525
Franklin	8⅝	8½	8⅝
Michigan	3	3	3
North Butte	28	28	28
Osceola	110	110	110
Shannon	11¼	11¼	11¼
Tamarack	45	43	45
Wyandotte	1¾	1¾	1¾

MISCELLANEOUS.

Mass. Gas	92⅜	91⅞	92⅝
United Fruit	186	186	186

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

Amalgamated	64	63¾	64
Mass. Copper	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜
Island Creek pf.	88	88	88
Superior & Pitts.	14	14	14
Swift & Co.	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
East Butte	12⅜	12⅜	12⅜
Hancock	19⅞	19⅞	19⅞
South Utah	85	85	85
Superior Boston	5	5	5

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices for the leading New York stocks to noon:

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Atch., T. & S. F.	103⅝	103⅛	103⅜
Atch., T. & S. F. pf.	102⅝	102½	102⅝
Balt. & Ohio	101¾	101¼	101¾
Brooklyn Rap. Tr.	77⅞	77⅜	77⅝
Canadian Pac.	210¾	209¾	210¾
C., C., C. & St. L.	85¾	85¼	85¾
Chic. Gt. West.	23¾	23¼	23¼
Chic., M. & St. P.	127½	126¾	127½
Chic. & N. W.	143¾	143	143¾
Chic., R. I. & P.	107⅝	107⅜	107⅝
Erie 1st pf.	28⅝	28	28⅝
Erie 2d pf.	47	47	47
Gt. Northern pf.	123⅝	123⅛	123⅝
Ill. Central	135	134½	135
Kan. City So.	33⅝	33⅜	33⅝
Louis. & Nash.	147	146¾	147
Minn. & St. L.	178⅞	178¼	178⅝
Mo., Kan. & Tex.	40¼	40¼	40¼
Mo. Pacific	49⅝	49½	49⅝
N. Y. C. & Hud.	110¾	110½	110¾
N. Y., O. & West.	108⅜	108	108⅛
Northern Pacific	117⅞	117½	117⅝
Pennsylvania	127¾	127½	127⅝
Reading	156⅜	156	156¼
Rock Island	32	32	32
Rock Island pref.	62½	62	62⅛
Southern Pacific	116⅜	116	117⅝
Southern Railway	27⅞	27⅝	27⅞
Southern Ry. pref.	76¼	75¾	76¼
Union Pacific	176½	175¾	176½
Wabash	10	10	10
Wabash pref.	34⅜	34⅛	34⅜
Wisconsin Central	62¾	62	62⅝

INDUSTRIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Amalgamated Copper	64¾	64¼	64¼
Am. Beet Sugar	40⅝	40⅜	40⅜
Am. Cotton Oil	55¾	55¼	55¼
Am. Car & Foundry	49⅞	49	49⅞
Amer. Sm. & Ref.	61¾	61¼	61¾
Am. Tele. & Tel.	141¾	141¼	141¾
Cent. Leather	29⅛	28	28
Consol. Gas	135¾	135	135⅝
Pacific Mail	27⅝	27⅜	27⅜
People's Gas	107¾	107¼	107¾
Pressed Steel Car	77⅜	76¾	77
Pullman Palace	118⅝	118¼	118⅝
Utah Copper	46	46	46
West. Un. Tel.	74¾	74¼	74⅜
Va. Car. Chem.	64¼	64	64⅛

BOSTON CURB.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading Curb stocks:

QUALIFIED LIST.

Stocks.	Last.	Low.	Noon.
Anal. Ner.	15c	14c	14c
Bay State Gas	3⅝	3⅜	3⅜
Boston & Mont.	24	23½	24
Calumet & Corp.	23¾	23	23¾
Con. Arizona	17-16	17-16	17-16
Davis Daly	1	15-16	1
Davis Daly	17-16	17-16	17-16

Dom. syndicate	9⅝	9⅜	9⅝
First National	1 15-16	1⅞	1 15-16
Goldfield Con.	6⅝	6⅜	6⅝
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Majestic	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
McKinley	1 7-16	1 7-16	1 7-16
Mexican Metals	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
Nevada Utah	80c	80c	80c
Ohio Copper	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
R. I. Coal	2⅛	2	2⅛
Tonopah	4⅝	4⅜	4⅜
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Inter Bel. Ring	3	3	3
Mackinaw	25c	25c	25c
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WINTHROP BANKER EXPIRES ON TRAIN

WINTHROP, Jan. 17.—Edward B. Newton, president of the Winthrop Co-operative Bank, stricken with heart failure on his way home from a dinner of the directors of the bank, held at the American House, Boston, died on the train before it reached the Winthrop Centre station. Mr. Newton was a member of the firm of Brackett & Jones, fish dealers in Faneuil Hall, a director of the Boston Trust Company, Boston, and a former director of the Boston Fruit and Produce Exchange.

"BILL THE BARBER" DEAD.

William Delaney, sixty-five years old, a negro, familiarly known as "Bill the Barber," was found dead in one of his barber chairs in the store at No. 134 Pleasant street, Boston. The body was removed to the City Hospital morgue. Medical Examiner Magrath was notified.

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The AMERICAN reserves the right to amend these rules and conditions from time to time, if it may seem necessary, in order to protect all contestants from any possible contingency which may arise.

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CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Fearing that vast quantities of food products may go unclaimed consumption are to be unloaded from the cold storage warehouses here to-day, the Federal and city health authorities are closely watching the dealers and are prepared to seize and condemn millions of pounds of these products if necessary. Criminal prosecutions will follow attempts to unload rotten food on the consumers.

Activity of the government in seizing cold storage products declared to be unfit for food is said to be one of the reasons why the contents of the cold storage warehouses are being thrown on the Chicago markets instead of being shipped out of the State.

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80 AND 82 SUMMER ST., BOSTON, JANUARY 17, 1911

Whipple Measures Up to Every Standard Required by the State. He Should Be Elected

Massachusetts is fortunate, the Democratic party is fortunate and the Progressive Republicans are fortunate in the unanimous selection of Sherman L. Whipple, distinguished lawyer and Progressive Democrat, to be the Democratic standard bearer in the senatorial contest.

Mr. Whipple MEETS ALL the requirements of the situation. He meets the demands of a great office in great ability. He meets the call to important service by a habit of tireless industry. He meets the opinions of Massachusetts by planting himself SQUARELY UPON THE DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM indorsed by the people at the last election. He matches Mr. Lodge in general capacity.

As a lawyer he will overmatch Mr. Lodge in the consideration and discussion of those legal and constitutional questions which require a lawyer's art. He whose voice has sounded triumphantly in every court of the Commonwealth in the greatest legal causes WILL NOT FAIL the State when she needs a lawyer's service in the Senate.

The stand-pat Republicans have boasted much of Mr. Lodge's oratorical talents. They are good, but Mr. Whipple's are not inferior. The progressives, Democrats and Republicans, can place their cause in the hands of Mr. Whipple in SUPREME CONFIDENCE that he will break lances with Mr. Lodge without being unseated.

Altogether, in their two conferences, the Democrats of the Legislature have given the State a fine exhibition of true leadership and good sense. Last week, which was the time for discussion, they remained divided, that the discussion might be more genuine and real.

But now, on the eve of the contest, they unite to fight, and under a leader equal to the importance of the contest.

The insurgent Republicans, led by Congressman Ames, are standing their ground bravely. "They are a little band, but LARGE ENOUGH TO MAKE A REVOLUTION," as Wendell Phillips once said.

In the fighting independence of Butler Ames the people can see the lingering of the spirit of his grandfather, old General Butler. His recent declaration of principles would have pleased "the old General" as they pleased most of the people of the State. The insurgents need not be abashed if he is their candidate. He has qualities of leadership. He has grown in public estimation.

Speaker Walker yesterday took next to the last step of his entire journey toward Progressive Republicanism. He has now declared that he believes United States Senators ought to be elected by a direct vote of the people. His fellow-citizens have watched with approval Mr. Walker's steady advancement upon higher and higher ground. Those Republicans who want Mr. Walker should remind him of Mr. Whipple's statement: "While not seeking public office, I must heed the call to public service."

Champagne Importations Have Fallen Off

That Is a Good Thing—A Good Result of the Alleged Lack of Prosperity

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Foolish geese in the United States in the year 1910 drank about two million five hundred thousand FEWER bottles of champagne than they drank in 1909. To be exact, the importations of champagne in 1909 were 481,777 cases, of twelve bottles each, and in 1910 only 254,475 cases.

This is attributed partly to lack of ready cash among the more foolish element of the population, and partly to the fact that restaurant owners increased the price of champagne from four dollars a bottle on the average to four dollars and fifty cents.

Whatever the cause, the falling off in the use of champagne is an excellent thing for the community. It may be said that many of those that drink champagne habitually might as well ruin their constitution and get off the earth now as later.

But, after all, even the regular champagne drinker may prove to be useful in the future—you remember that Gibbon was well on the road to being a first-class drunkard before he wrote his great "Decline and Fall." So let us give good advice to champagne drinkers, hoping that one of them may be an unrecognized Gibbon or something better.

The ordinary American, when he says "Wine" means to say champagne. And champagne isn't a wine at all. It is a poisonous concoction, invented by the French and manufactured by them chiefly for sale in Russia, in the United States and in England—three countries which know less than any other country about wine and what it really is.

Champagne in large quantities is actually a poison. It destroys the kidneys and other internal organs. The man who drinks champagne makes himself a human vat in which fermentation proceeds—much to the injury of that vat.

The families that own the famous brands and vintages of champagne do not drink the stuff themselves—except in very small quantities. Occasionally a Frenchman at the end of a dinner may take a small glass of champagne, but he considers himself foolish for doing it.

Real wine, intended for human consumption, has nothing whatever to do with champagne. And many unhappy pairs of American kidneys, many poor American stomachs are to be congratulated upon the diminished consumption of champagne, a crude, inartistic, pernicious product.

Sherlocko, the Monk

By GUS MAGER

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No Mystery Is Too Baffling for Him

The Hallroom Boys

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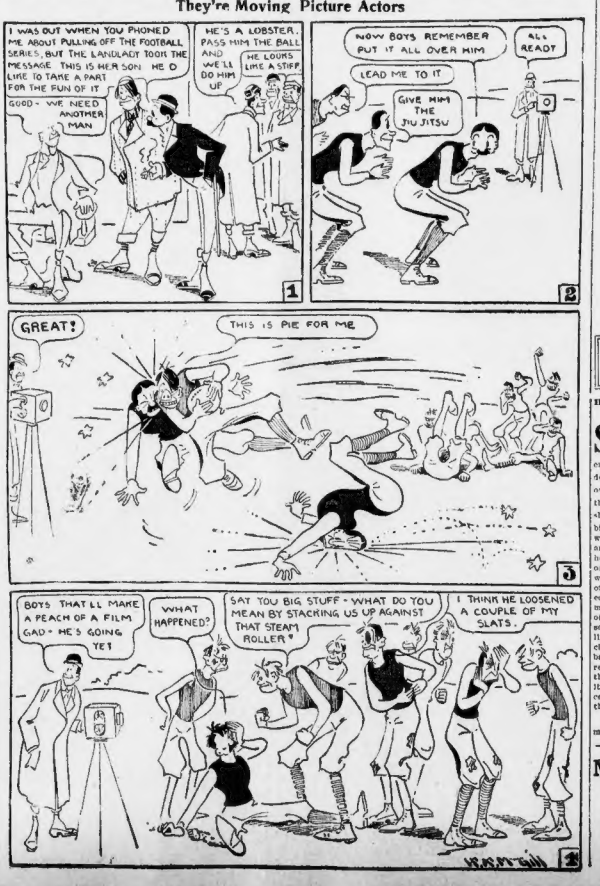

Do You Save Money? How Much?

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We are half way through the first month of the year. The new year, and the new success or new failure will soon be definitely settled.

Remember that the foundation of success—of all success—is SAVING—saving money, saving time, saving sleep, saving health, saving knowledge by storing it away in the memory.

Saving money is the foundation of that success which gives a man independence; it means escape from slavery—for the man without money is the slave of the man that hires him, the man of whom he buys, the man to whom he owes, the slave of his own daily needs.

If you have not begun to save, if you have not begun to be a free man, you have not done your duty to yourself or to your family. Often a few words from a wise old man are better than many modern words. Cut out this saying of Franklin's, and paste it up where you will often see it:

> Save a little out of thy income and thy hidebound pocket will soon begin to thrive, and will never again cry with the empty bellyache; neither will creditors insult thee, nor want oppress, nor hunger bite—nor will nakedness freeze thee. The whole hemisphere will shine brighter, and pleasure spring up in every corner of thy heart.

The Death of Little Friday

By ELLA WHEELER WILCOX

"FRIDAY, AGED NINE."

Owing to the rotation of the earth on its axis, a ship going around the world from West to East, gains one day, or in other words, must count one day twice in order to keep straight with the calendar. Similarly, a ship going from East to West loses a day in strolling the globe, and must drop one day from its reckoning. The change is made when the ship crosses an imaginary line called the date line, which runs from North to South through the Pacific Ocean.

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We had been two days at sea before the calm and moved among the passengers of the Siberia, who were en route to Yokohama.

Madame December was a robust dame, and her appearance was so smiling and bright that we felt the stories we had heard of her blustering, stormy temper were libels.

She was down on the passenger list as Madame December, and the children—but she kept the children in their cabins—only appearing with one at a time by her side.

The first four were rather solemn and loud-spoken boys; and then came four charming, gentle, soft-voiced girls, sunny-haired and bright-eyed and much beloved by the whole ship, from the captain down, and through the entire passenger list.

The fourth girl was Thursday; and she had mentioned the name of her brother, Friday, and had remarked that he was coming on deck the next day.

Early that morning several passengers were awakened by a loud cry, and Madame December was seen hurrying along the deck, with dishevelled hair and garments, moving toward the captain's bridge.

Anything out of the usual routine always causes curiosity and excitement on shipboard, and soon the decks were crowded with people asking the cause of this disturbance.

Then it was learned that little Friday, Madame December's son, aged nine (and her ninth child), was nowhere to be found.

He had disappeared from the ship.

Saturday, a lovely girl of ten, came running to her mother's side, trying to comfort her. But the poor woman was like one distraught, and all day and until midnight we heard her crying over her lost child.

These verses were written in commemoration of the sad event:

DECEMBER fled along the deck,
Her loose hair flowing wild.
She gave no heed to call or beck.
But moaned, "My child, my child!"
Till at the bridge with trembling lip.
She wailed, "Oh, Captain, stop the ship.

For one has found a watery grave—
A precious child of mine,
My little Friday, blithe and brave;
He was so young, but nine.
He wandered in his sleep maybe
And dropped unconscious in the sea.

"At dawn I called him—no reply;
I found his empty bed.
I searched the ship both low and high;
They say my child is dead.
Oh, Captain, turn upon your track.
And bring my precious darling back."

So all day long, like one distraught,
We heard December cry;
As fore and aft, her child she sought.
"He was too young to die."
And late at night we heard her pine
"My little Friday, only nine."

Thrift

By WEX JONES

How Some Persons Have Amassed Fortunes

SYSTEMATIC saving has been the foundation of several great fortunes.

One man, a prominent manufacturer in Marblehead, used to put every two-dollar bill he received in a pocket in his overcoat. His wife, of course, extracted them after he had gone to sleep, and when she had accumulated one thousand of these bills she bought a sealskin coat. In cold weather this proved very useful, as it gave an appearance of prosperity to the household. In warm weather the coat was more of a handicap than otherwise, because wearing a sealskin coat in Summer stamps one as either a Central American or an eccentric. Owing to this appearance, the man in question became the manufacturer of a patent bait for bluefish. He has now sold 6,700,000 of these baits to fishermen living in New York and fishing in Massachusetts waters. From these 6,700,000 baits a total catch of three bluefish has resulted, one of the fish being caught by the back fin as the bait was dragged over it when the fish was asleep. This percentage has so encouraged local fishermen that they are all buying the bait.

Another systematic saver was a young man who worked during Summer as a life guard. He saved on the average a life a week, and from every three of these he got a present of fifty cents, more or less. With this money he bought a ticket to a Vermont town 175 miles inland, where he could devote his entire attention to work. As a result he is now owner of the principal feed store in the town, where he sells ham and eggs at 23 cents a plate.

A city man entered a restaurant one day and ordered a piece of huckleberry pie. He paid 10 cents for it, and on analysis found it to contain thirteen huckleberries and four ounces of some unknown building material. This gave the city man an idea, and on his next visit to New Hampshire he bought 750 yards of land. His next move was to purchase 700 huckle trees which he planted on the ground he owned. As a result, the first year he harvested 745 huckleberries—two of the trees were unproductive. With these he made more than 1,400 pies, which sold at 10 cents and netted him a profit on the year of $87. Investing this money in additional huckle trees, the city man is now the huckle king of New Hampshire.

Making armor plate for the Navy Department is an easy and profitable means of earning money. The most economical method is to get a Krupp plate and armor it with a piece of steak.

MOVING PICTURES

Tom Powers, the great humorist, the real successor of the gifted Phil May, has a page of moving pictures in next Sunday's AMERICAN City Life Section. Funniest drawing you ever saw.